

# Weather

Today and Tuesday — Fair and mild tonight and Tuesday.  
Sun rises Tuesday 7:39. Sets 7:48. Light on vehicles by 8:06; light off aircraft by 20:16 hours.  
Edmonton Temperatures — Sunday, maximum, 36; Monday, minimum, 26. Estimated high today, 44; estimated overnight low, 27; estimated high tomorrow, 42.

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# Nazis Flee Under Hail of Bombs

Bombers Hit Osaka-Kobe Area

## 1,400 Planes Attack Japan

Civic Estimates

## City Has Surplus of \$12,895 On Operations During 1944

The City of Edmonton had a surplus of \$12,895.53 on its 1944 operations, according to the civic estimates which will be submitted to aldermen on Monday night for consideration.

The 1945 estimates anticipate revenues totalling \$5,217,472 to carry on the city's business exclusive of the five utilities. Of this amount \$3,559,139 will accrue from a suggested 4 1/2 per cent rate. It is expected that \$1,658,333 will be derived from other revenue.

The 1945 anticipated revenue is \$3,912 in excess of the actual \$3,177,560.93 revenue collected in 1944. Expenditures in 1944 totalled \$5,164,665.40.

### SUGGEST 4 1/2 PER CENT

In submitting the estimates the city commissioners state that "we have included in the summary sheet a suggested 4 1/2 per cent rate, but this has only been done to give the aldermen a general picture to enable them to discuss the detailed estimates."

"It should be noted that the school board estimates are only tentative and the same applies to the 'miscellaneous' expense item as we have not yet completed negotiations with the civic unions." The commissioners report that

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### 10-Year Low

## Meat Supplies For Civilians Cut in States

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—The government announced Saturday night a 12 per cent cut in meat supplies for civilians starting April 1, reducing them to "the lowest point in 10 years."

Beef and pork will be available, said the announcement issued by the Office of War Information, but the civilian table will get more veal, lamb and mutton.

The war food administration allotted meat to civilians for the April, May, June quarter at a rate of only 115 pounds per person a year, compared with 130 pounds in the quarter now closing.

### CUT LEND-LEASE

Simultaneously O.W.I. announced a "substantial reduction" in lend-lease shipment of meat, and increased supplies for United States army and navy use.

Britain will get only 25,000,000 pounds of lend-lease meat next quarter, or about 12 1/2 per cent of present shipments. This evidently was based on the theory that British reserves are large enough to sustain Britain without great American assistance.

To head off dire shortages in this

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### Police Probing

## Fire at St. Paul

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin  
ST. PAUL, March 19.—Police on Monday were investigating the circumstances surrounding a fire that broke out in a central building known as "Boy's Town," at 9:30 p.m. Sunday. The blaze was extinguished before much damage was done.

The fire started, police said, in papers stuffed into an opening in the ceiling of the main floor work-shop, and were apparently ignited by bare electric wires. The audience of a nearby parish concert saw the flames, and dashed to the scene where they extinguished the blaze. But while the citizens were busy at the fire, an attempt to break into the provincial treasury branch was made.

Shortly after 10 p.m. W. Doherty, manager, entered the treasury branch in time to see two men leave by the rear entrance. Nothing had been taken.

Provincial police were investigating the possibility that the fire had been started to divert attention while the treasury branch was being looted.

### Flood Threat

SHERBROOKE, Que., March 19.—(CP)—A sudden rise at flood level of rivers in the district last night threatened Sherbrooke and nearby towns. Police feared that some streets in Lowertown would soon be under water.

### Bombs Kill 12

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Anti-personnel bombs, dropped from German planes on a North England town Saturday night killed 12 persons and injured others, some of them as they were leaving a theatre.

## Civic Estimates At A Glance

Here are the highlights of the civic estimates at a glance:

Surplus of \$12,895.53 on 1944 operations.

City commissioners suggest a 4 1/2 per cent mill rate for 1945.

Estimates revenue for 1945, \$5,217,472. Expenditures estimates at same amount.

Suggested mill rate will realize \$5,559,139.

Estimated revenue from sources other than general taxes \$1,658,333. Public school requisition for educational purposes \$1,583,882 compared with \$1,368,189 for 1944, an increase of \$195,693.

Separate school board requisition \$232,558 compared with \$202,273 in 1944, an increase of \$30,285.

Debt redemption and interest payments, \$950,000 compared with \$1,072,190 in 1944, a decrease of \$122,190.

Business tax estimates to yield \$215,000, a decrease of approximately \$9,000 from 1944 collections.

Surpluses and taxes paid by five city owned utilities estimated at \$765,923 compared with \$780,981 in 1944, a decrease of \$15,058. An additional \$445,500 will be paid by the utilities in franchise and property taxes to bring total revenue contribution to \$1,211,423.

An estimated \$1,280,000 to be set aside in utilities renewal reserve accounts during 1945.

Estimated expenditures from these accounts in 1945, \$1,758,210.

Anticipated carryover in utility reserve accounts to 1946, \$1,848,927. Carryover from 1944 was \$2,328,137.

Public works to be undertaken in 1945:

**ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT**  
Improved street lighting, \$33,400.

Construction of electric light manholes and vaults, \$49,100; construction street railway feeders, \$21,700; new service lines construction, \$39,500; renewals of transformers, meters, replacing rotted poles, etc., \$75,000.

**POWER PLANT**  
Completion of new water treatment plant, \$405,000.

**STREET RAILWAY DEPARTMENT**  
Purchase of 10 trolley coaches, \$215,000.

Rehabilitation of street cars, trolley coaches, etc., \$18,000; maintenance of track and line, \$34,870.

Conversion of Highlands route to trolley bus operation, \$104,570; new trolley coach depot, \$200,000.

Alterations and additions to car shops, \$20,000.

**TELEPHONE DEPARTMENT**  
Addition of 1,100 lines to automatic equipment in north, south, west and central exchanges, \$116,635.

Construction of addition to main exchange, \$175,000.

Addition to cable distributing system, \$64,435.

**WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT**  
Renewal of mains, services, fire hydrants, etc., \$25,000.

New construction mains, services, meters, etc., \$95,000.

Alterations in mains in connection with water treatment plant, \$10,000.

**CITY ENGINEERS DEPARTMENT**  
Walks and crossings, \$70,000.

Grading, gravelling, curbing, boulevarding, \$100,000.

Paving Highlands trolley route.

By FRANK TREMAINE

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

GUAM, March 19.—(BUP)

—Tokyo said wave after wave of U.S. Navy planes attacked the factory-packed Osaka-Kobe area for at least nine hours today sending a powerful carrier-based assault on Japan through its second straight day.

Only 85 miles to the east, Nagoya, Japan's biggest aircraft manufacturing centre and third largest city, still was ablaze yesterday by 325 to 350 superfortresses, greatest B-29 armada of the war. At least 2,500 tons of incendiaries were dropped.

A Japanese communique issued shortly after 3 p.m. (Tokyo time) said carrier planes had been attacking the Hanshin district—Japanese name for the Osaka-Kobe area—and Shikoku island, to the southwest, since this morning.

Another Japanese propaganda broadcast said the raids began at 5:30 a.m. and reported that Kyushu, southernmost of the Japanese home islands, also was under attack. Kyushu was the main target of a force estimated by Tokyo at 1,400 carrier planes yesterday.

The communique claimed that counter-attacking Japanese planes had sunk an aircraft carrier, a

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### Fortress City

## Russians Drive One-Mile Wedge Into Altdamm

By ROBERT MUSEL

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

LONDON, March 19.—(BUP)—

Russian siege forces have driven a wedge almost a mile into the main defences of Altdamm, fortress city on the east bank of the Oder before Stettin, the Germans reported today.

The Soviet assault on the last German foothold east of the lower Oder at Altdamm entered its final phase. Russian victory there will secure Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's flank for the big push on Berlin.

Moscow dispatches reported that after the capture of the big port of Kolberg, 63 miles northeast of Stettin, the Baltic coast was clear from Stettin bay to the suburbs of besieged Gdynia.

The German high command reported that the Russians were attacking heavily between Lake Balaton and the Danube in Hungary on a broad front, aimed toward Vienna. Break-through attempts failed, a Berlin communique said, but fresh Soviet forces were thrown into the drive and spearheads reached the Bakony forest and the approaches to the Vertes mountains north of Mor, 38 miles west of Budapest.

**STEADY FIGHTING**  
Soviet dispatches said fighting went on unabated along the central Oder front before Berlin and in Silesia, although the Red Army command still withheld confirmation of Nazi reports that the Russians were across the Oder in force.

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## Two Japanese Admirals Meet "Gallant Death"

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—(AP)—Two Japanese vice-admirals have met "gallant death" in action against the United States, Tokyo radio said Sunday, bringing to 94 the total of Japanese officers of the admiral's rank whose deaths have been announced in enemy broadcasts since last May. Domei, Japanese agency, said Admiral Kichiro Endo, 55, was killed in the South Pacific in May, 1944, and Takeo Takagi, 54, died in battle in the Central Pacific last July.

**Fair and Mild**  
Official weather forecast for Monday is "fair and mild tonight and Tuesday." Estimated high for today is 44 above.

Maximum temperature Sunday was 36 above zero, and the minimum overnight, 26. At 2 p.m. the temperature was 42. Estimated overnight low, 27; estimated high tomorrow, 42.

105 street bridge road, and other projects, \$627,000; bridge repairs, \$60,000.

Sewers and drainage, Windsor Park and Strathcona Place, \$319,000.

All construction, with the exception of \$295,173, will be paid for out of accumulated reserves or current revenue. The \$295,173 represents property share of certain local improvements, and will be capitalized over a 20 year period.



**SUPER-CARRIER**—Towering high above workmen at the Newport News Ship-building and Drydock Co., Newport News, Va., is the Navy's newest sea giant, USS Midway, first 45,000-ton aircraft carrier to be constructed by the United States.

### Now Fugitive

## Participant in Hitler Bomb Plot Tells Story

Louis P. Lochner has obtained a remarkable account of last July's attempt on Hitler's life directly from one of the participants, Lochner, who was chief of the former Associated Press bureau in Berlin, is again in Germany hoping to return soon to the enemy capital.—EDITOR.

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER

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BONN, Germany, March 19.—(AP)—A man who is a fugitive from German authority because he was implicated in the July 20 bombing attempt on Hitler's life has told me that the Fuehrer, fully aware that the war is lost, now peps himself up from time to time watching movies showing the purging of generals and nobles who died for their part in the plot.

My informant, who gave a complete story of the bomb plot, is a man I have known for years and in whose integrity and veracity I have a firm belief.

This man, because he has been hunted, has not seen his home since July and he changed sleeping quarters constantly to avoid detection. He desires even now, under Allied rule, to have his name withheld because he has numerous relatives beyond the Rhine.

**MOVED POSITION**  
Here is his story: The bomb attempt failed because Hitler did not receive his officers in a concrete bunker July 20 but in a wooden shed to show Mussolini and high Italians he was not afraid of air raids. The Italians were

scheduled to attend a ceremony incorporating remnants of the Fascist army into the Wehrmacht.

The bomb's effectiveness had been calculated on the assumption that the explosion would occur in a much smaller room than where Hitler at this time sat. The bunker, with concrete walls, was to heighten the impact of the blast.

Secondly, it failed because at the moment of the explosion, Hitler stepped to a cupboard to look for a magnifying glass. The bomb had been placed under his chair.

**WAS BADLY HURT**  
Even so, Hitler was badly hurt. His hearing apparently has been impaired permanently. His right

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### New Regulations

## Males 16-65 Made Subject To Compulsory Farm Work

OTTAWA, March 19.—(CP)—Labor Minister Mitchell announced last night in a series of amendments to National Selective Service civilian regulations that Selective Service officers will be given authority to direct any male of 16 to 65 years of age, whether employed or unemployed, to a job in agriculture.

Mr. Mitchell said it was hoped this arrangement would help in meeting farm labor shortages. The amendments, which become effective Tuesday, dealt with the seven-days' separation notice, "freezing" of employees, dismissals for misconduct, changes in appeal procedure and other regulations.

**SHORTER NOTICE**  
Mr. Mitchell said that while the provision that either employer or employee must give the other seven days' notice of separation from employment will be maintained as a general principle, local selective service officers will be given authority to approve a shorter period of notice in the event that a temporary lay-off is necessary through circumstances beyond the employer's control.

The employer may also give employees notice effective immediately, without further authorization, where a break in operations is required.

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### Order Cemeteries

The Provincial government has ordered all cemeteries and burial grounds in Alberta to set aside a "Field of Honor" for burial of members or former members of the armed services, it was learned on Monday.

According to the order, the area to be set aside shall be a space for not less than 10 graves for each acre of the cemetery. No charge can be made for burial in these Fields of Honor, but a charge of not more than \$15 can be levied for opening and closing a grave. The plots may be used as graves for former members of His Majesty's forces or the forces of any Allied nation.

The regulation was issued by the Provincial Board of Health, and approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

The third game in the best of seven series will be played here Tuesday night, starting time being 8:30. A sell-out crowd is assured, no tickets being available two hours after they went on sale Saturday.

Jimmy King of the Edmonton Maple Leafs is with the Alberta champions as a military replacement for Sub Lt. Jim Fleming. King was the leading goal getter in the Edmonton junior circuit this season, and he played third for total points. He will be used either a centre or left wing on Tuesday night.

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## Germans Trying to Escape American Trap In Saarland

By BRUCE MUNN

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

PARIS, March 19.—(BUP)—American armies tightened a strangling grip on mauled German forces fleeing the Saar-Palatinate triangle under a deluge of Allied bombs today and in the Remagen bridgehead the Americans advanced 2 1/2 miles and broke out into the flat Rhineland plain.

Converging mobile forces of the U.S. Third and Seventh Armies raced pell-mell through the Rhineland in a bid to trap some 30,000 Nazis scrambling out of the menaced pocket of southwest Germany above French Alsace.

**CLOSING IN FAST**

Chinks in a partial security blackout indicated that Seventh and Third Army spearheads were less than 40 miles apart and closing fast. Swarms of Allied planes plastered the retreating Germans, impeding their withdrawal and exacting a heavy toll.

In the Rhine bridgehead to the north, First Army forces flailed out on both wings. They extended the pocket to a width of 18 miles. Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' forces were fighting on Ober Cossel, north of Bad Godesberg, and in Hammerstein, two and a half miles southeast of Hoenningen, at the opposite sides of the bridgehead.

The First's northward advance carried well out of the tangle of bluffs and woods which had shackled the bridgehead force around Remagen. Out in the plain

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### Quashes Rumors

## Throne Speech Says Election Will Be Held

By CHESTER BLOOM

Edmonton Bulletin Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA, March 19.—The only real bit of news for which politicians have been waiting in the Speech from the Throne today was contained in the second to last paragraph which said briefly:

"The term of the present parliament will have expired on April 17. A general election will be held shortly thereafter."

This quashed rumors in circulation in Ottawa that despite his previous assurances, the Prime Minister and his cabinet were debating a legal extension of the life of parliament.

Use of the word "shortly" also ended reports that the government might attempt to carry on without a parliament until official end of the war or early next year, a procedure which it could legally carry out under the British North America Act. But Mr. King, as has been steadily asserted for many months, intends to have a general election "shortly" after parliament expires.

**GUESSING DATE**

Guessing now goes on concerning the date of the general test of public opinion on the government's record. Best estimates put the election date in late June or early July.

The speech was perhaps the

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### Canadians Are

## Full of Fight

By HAL DEAN

Edmonton Bulletin Sports Editor

MOOSE JAW, March 19.—Edmonton Canadians arrived here Monday morning all determined to start right in where they left off in that hectic third period of Saturday night's Abbott cup semi-final in Edmonton. There are 20 in the party including Coach Clarence Moher and Manager Ken Heary. Moose Jaw Canucks arrived on the same train.

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### Hit Many Targets

## Allied Bombers Deal Reich Heavy Blows

By ROBERT DOWSON

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

LONDON, March 19.—(BUP)—Strong forces of RAF and American bombers dropped heavy loads of bombs on widely-scattered parts of Germany today.

Lancasters of the RAF carried 11-ton and six-ton bombs to hit railway viaducts at Arnberg southeast of Hamm and in the area of Bielefeld in the Ruhr area.

More than 1,200 U.S. heavy bombers and upward of 600 fighters hit several targets today. They included a jet plane plant at Baumbach, 20 miles north of Augsburg; airfields near Neuburg, north of Muenchen and Leipzig near Ulm; industrial targets in Saxony, and war factories at Jena-Leipzig.

### FOLLOWS BERLIN RAID

The bombardment hit Germany a day after a devastating American raid had wrecked and burned large sections of the concentrated war industries in and around Berlin.

The attack on Berlin by upwards of 2,000 American planes yesterday cost 25 bombers and five fighters.

A communique reviewing the

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### Rumor Fuehrer

## Plans Marriage Or Seeks Heir

LONDON, March 19.—(Reuters)—Two London newspapers today carried "rumor stories" circulating in Stockholm that Hitler has been contemplating marriage.

The News Chronicle, quoting the Free German press bureau which, in turn, quoted rumors in Berlin, said Hitler intends to be married to Fraulein Brandt, sister of his chief medical advisor, Professor Brandt.

The Daily Herald also carried this report and added this alternative rumor said to be circulating in Stockholm:

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### Church Opposes

## New Association

Declaring that establishment of a French-Canadian Association in Alberta along lines petitioned to the Alberta legislative assembly will constitute a "highly dangerous precedent in Alberta and open the way for disunity rather than unity," the congregation of McDonald Baptist church Sunday unanimously adopted a resolution urging the provincial government to take every step possible to insure the continued preservation of the unity of Alberta citizens.

Copies of the resolution, adopted by a standing vote at the close of Sunday's service, were forwarded to Premier Ernest Manning, members of his cabinet, Edmonton members of the Legislature, the Canadian Press and Edmonton daily newspapers.







## Girder Collapses

## Remagen Bridge Falls Into Rhine

By HOWARD COWAN

WITH THE AMERICANS ACROSS THE RHINE, March 19.—(AP)—The central span of the 1,200-foot Ludendorff bridge at Remagen collapsed Saturday, carrying many army engineers to death in the Rhine, but it was announced officially last night the gap can be repaired and the bridge soon will be in operation again.

The collapse, blamed on a weakened main supporting girder that had been damaged by a German demolition charge before the Americans seized the bridge March 7, proved to be less of a catastrophe than had first been indicated.

Many of the 200 engineers who were working on the bridge and were plunged into the river when the span gave way were rescued, it was announced. There was no official tally of the dead and injured.

The German explosives damaged a lower arch girder 10 days ago when the span was seized, and failure to repair or replace it proved to be the real reason for loss of the bridge. The strain on remaining girders was too much.

But the first task was to build up the bridgehead and throw over supplementing pontoon spans. Engineers were working to strengthen the girder when the bridge gave way.

## OFFICERS EXECUTED

Ironically, the great span which gave Americans a solid bridgehead across the Rhine collapsed a few hours before a German high command announcement that four officers had been executed for cowardice and negligence in permitting seizure of the bridge intact March 7.

There was no explosion or shell burst when the bridge tumbled down, at 3:10 p.m., and enemy action was not directly responsible, Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley's headquarters said the main central span, 12 feet long, toppled into the water as a result of cumulative strains and stresses which American Army engineers had been trying to offset with repairs.

The span had been closed for repairs except for brief intervals, and no traffic was passing over at the time of its collapse.

## WORKING ON STRUCTURE

About 200 engineers were working on the structure, frequently damaged by blast and shellfire, when it gave way without warning. Some were killed, others drowned and many were injured.

Heroic work by soldiers advanced the theory that deep vibrations caused by their blast might have started a shift in weight which sent the bridge down.

Loss of the bridge did not immediately imperil the Americans.

## City Surplus Of \$12,895.53 Is Reported

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These matters will be settled before council will be asked to strike the mill rate.

The estimated \$5,217,472 expenditures in excess of the actual \$5,164,685 spent last year. Chief increases in departmental expenditures over last year occur in the building inspector's office which is up \$7,000 approximately; children's shelter, up \$4,000; city hall maintenance, up \$5,000; civic relief, increased \$8,000; engineer's department, increased \$9,000; fire department, \$6,000; health department, \$2,000, and the police department, \$13,000 increase.

An anticipated increase of \$8,000 in revenue is seen in the building inspector's office; and a similar amount in the city engineer's department. A decrease of \$15,000 approximately is anticipated in the land department's operations, and \$7,000 in revenue from the city police department.

The gas franchise is expected to bring in \$85,000 this year, while \$7,723 is expected from civic block rentals. Utility surpluses and revenue taxes will bring in an estimated \$765,923, and business tax, \$315,000.

The public school requisition for the year is set at \$1,583,822, compared with \$1,388,189 for 1944, while the separate school board is asking for \$232,558 compared with \$202,273 in 1944.

It had been reported earlier that the public school board had asked for \$300,000 more in 1945 than in 1944, and that the separate school board was seeking an additional \$50,000.

## TELEPHONE REVENUE

Gross revenue in the telephone department is expected to reach \$2,629,000, with expenditures, including taxes and renewal reserves, \$1,975,280, to leave a surplus in this department of \$653,720.

In the power plant the total revenue is set at \$1,931,610 and expenditures at \$1,757,110 to give a surplus of \$174,500, while the street railway revenue is estimated at \$1,588,700. In this department no surplus is budgeted for, but reserves of \$310,000 are being set aside, and taxes totaling \$97,760 will be paid to the city.

Revenue expected from the telephone department will total \$839,786 with expenditures set at \$705,217, to give a net surplus of \$134,569, and in the waterworks department revenue is estimated at \$963,500 and expenditures at \$928,500, to give a net surplus in this department of \$35,000.

## Recapture Nazis

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—The last three of 70 German prisoners of war who escaped from a Welsh camp a week ago were captured Saturday night, ending one of Britain's most extensive manhunts.



LIFE'S LIKE THAT—"He hasn't seen a girl in ages! He's been quarantined with the measles!"

## Numerous Patrol Clashes in Italy

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin  
ROME, March 19.—(BUP)—Patrols continued active along the Italian front, headquarters said today, with numerous clashes reported in the Fifth and Eighth Army sectors.

During occasional early rains in the Adriatic sector, German artillery heavily shelled Eighth Army positions northeast of Foggiano. British artillery drove off a German patrol attempting to attack positions south of Cotignola.

A naval communiqué reported that British light coastal craft torpedoed and blew up one of two enemy lighters intercepted with two motorboat escorts in the Gulf of Venice Saturday night. The Germans opened up with heavy fire, but the British craft withdrew without casualties or damage.

## Germans Report Spring Offensive Started by Allies

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—The Germans said Saturday night the first phase of the Allied spring offensive had begun with massive American attacks in the west and Moscow broadcast a report the enemy was turning an area in south Germany into a "small but super-strong" defence region for his last stand.

At the same time, a Russian military commentator declared that his commands of the Red Army and the western Allies had agreed on a co-ordinated win-the-war strategy which soon would result in a "simultaneous blow of stupendous force which will effect the junction of our armies somewhere in central Germany."

## Bruno Friedrich, Salvation Army Official, Passes

TORONTO, March 19.—(CP)—Commissioner Bruno Friedrich, who served with the Salvation Army in many parts of the world, died Saturday at his home, aged 82. Commissioner Friedrich entered the Army at Winnipeg in 1897, not long after he came to Canada from his native Germany. He was editor-in-chief of the War Cry in Australia and China and served as army territorial commissioner in India, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Germany and Austria. Funeral services will be held here Tuesday.

## Wedding Goes On

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—A V-bomb struck between a Roman Catholic church and a school used as a rest centre somewhere in Southern England, killing two adults, a month-old baby and injuring several priests and a nun—but a scheduled wedding went on just the same. The presbytery lost its roof and fire broke out.

## Close Colleges

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—(AP)—All schools, colleges and universities in Japan have been ordered closed for a year, Radio Tokyo reported yesterday, and the students as well as teachers will be mobilized for war work and food production. Tokyo said the students also will be used for air raid defence.

## Takes Examination

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—(AP)—Roy Rogers, western film actor, took his pre-induction physical examination Saturday. The 33-year-old movie cowboy recently was reclassified I-A by his draft board, which makes him subject to a draft call.

## Males 16 to 65 May Be Sent To Farm Jobs

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brought about through a power shortage.

The minister said that the rule, now in operation for several months, that an employer is authorized to lay off an employee without notice up to a maximum of 14 days in a six-month period has "not been found to be too satisfactory".

In future, instead of an employer being allowed to dispense with notice in laying off employees to a maximum of 14 days during six months, the employer will be required to apply to a selective service officer on each occasion for a reduction of the seven-day rule.

## MUST CONSULT UNION

Before giving his ruling, the selective service officer will be required to consult with the union, providing there is a collective labor agreement in force covering the employment. This shortening of the seven days' notice will cover only temporary lay-offs and not the final termination of employment.

In high priority industries, where male employees now are "frozen" on the job under Selective Service regulations, local Selective Service officers will have authority to remove the "freeze," but the employer's labor priority will remain unchanged.

Previously the regulations provided that dismissal in circumstances claimed by the employer to amount to "misconduct" was subject to review under the terms of the union agreement in the case of any trade union member belonging to a union with an agreement providing a procedure for the review of such cases. Under the amendment every employee, whether or not a trade union member, will be entitled to have his case reviewed under the terms of any such agreement in force on the job.

## HELD "UNEMPLOYED"

Any person in employment contrary to the provisions of Selective Service will be regarded as "unemployed" for the purpose of the regulations and subject to direction to essential work.

Lesser penalties of fine or imprisonment will be added as options to cover a case of refusal to accept a work direction issued by a Selective Service officer. The penalty of direction to an alternative service work camp remains in force.

In connection with labor transfers, the labor minister will be given authority to authorize the payment of workers' transportation and the removal expenses of workers' families in such areas and during such periods as he may approve.

Another amendment provides for summary means of requiring payment through court action from employers who have failed to pay

## Playing Role of Canucks

## American Troops Are Setting Stage For Typical Monty-Type Operation

By JOHN DAUPHINEE

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Because they captured the Rhine bridge at Remagen and established a growing bridgehead across the river, American troops now are setting the stage for a typical Montgomery-style operation and playing a role which, since the invasion, has been falling to British and Canadian forces.

Paradoxically these Americans of the 1st Army are under Lt. Gen. Omar Bradley's 15th Army group and not under Field Marshal Montgomery's 21st, but it likely will be Field Marshal Montgomery's troops which will benefit.

At Caen and in the recent offensive in the Northern Rhineland, British Commonwealth soldiers, by applying heavy pressure to German defence lines, drew off the enemy's strength and opened the way for a breakthrough by Americans at another point. Canadians and Britons bore the heaviest fighting and Americans did the spectacular cross-country dashes.

This time it is United States troops who are pouring across the Rhine at Remagen. If Field Marshal Von Rundstedt is to avert a disaster from the bridgehead he must move more troops into the Remagen area. His manpower shortage now is so acute, however, that to do that he will have to weaken his defences elsewhere along the river.

## ADDITIONAL CHANGES

Changes also will be made in the appeal procedure under the regulations. At present appeals are made to the courts of referees, set up under the Unemployment Insurance Act. These courts will continue to deal with appeals, but doubts now have been removed as to whether the courts may hear certain types of cases.

Broadly speaking any person feeling aggrieved may now lodge an appeal with his court of referees, and while formerly no second appeal was provided for, the arrangement now will be that a rehearing of a case may be allowed, where, for example, additional facts are disclosed shortly after the court reaches its first decision, the minister said.

## Control Quarter Of Bougainville

SYDNEY, Australia, March 19.—(CP)—Australian forces now control one quarter of Bougainville Island in the Solomons, where they are opposed by at least 15,000 Japanese, the Royal Australian Air Force announced last night. The announcement said that since Australian troops landed there in November they had killed 1,200 Japanese and wounded 800.

## \$2,000 in Bonds Stolen at Coast

VANCOUVER, March 19.—(CP)—Pte. Blanche Jordan of Seattle, a member of the United States Women's Army Corps, reported to police Saturday the theft of \$2,000 worth of United States bonds from her automobile while parked in downtown Vancouver. Miss Jordan was visiting in this city. She said the bonds were registered in her name.

## Report MacArthur Soon in Washington

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—The Army and Navy Journal predicted Saturday that General MacArthur will come to Washington for conferences as soon as the situation in the Philippines allows. Gen. MacArthur, said the unofficial service journal, was the "One prominent figure absent from Washington" during recent conferences of military and diplomatic leaders of the Pacific and China theatres.

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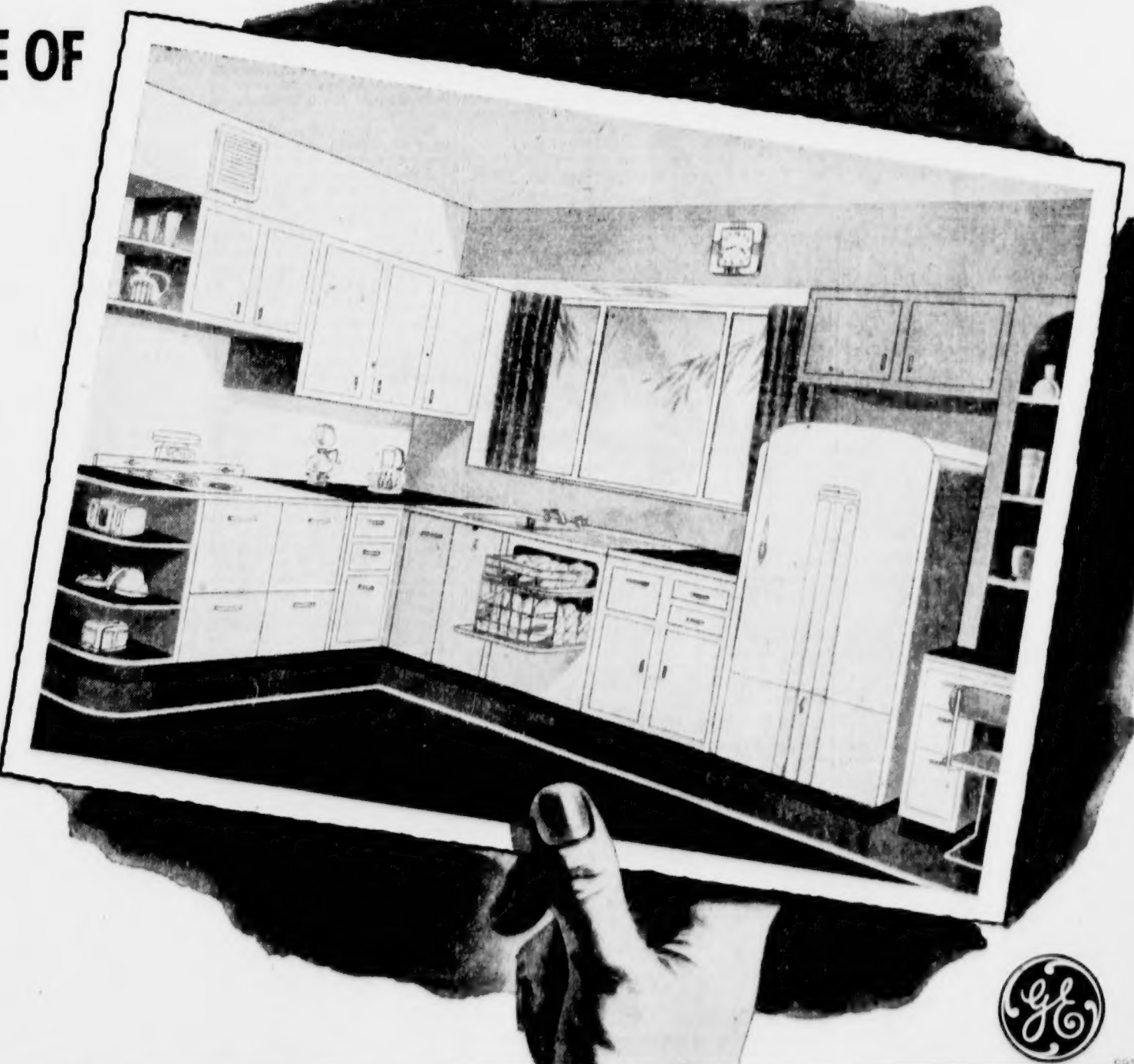
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## The Bill Should Not Pass

The Legislature would be well advised  
to refuse enactment of the bill which asks  
for the incorporation of a French-Canadian  
Association of Alberta with power to  
operate a radio station as a means to pro-  
mote the use of the French language.

It is not in the public interest that a  
project of that kind—sponsored by any  
racial group—should be legalized. There  
would be no objection to incorporating the  
Association; but to incorporate it for the  
purpose and with the facilities to carry on  
propaganda is something quite different.

If this precedent were set, other racial  
groups would have quite as good right to  
ask for identical privileges, and some of  
them would undoubtedly do so. The time  
to block a prospective drive for hyphenated  
Canadianism is now.

## Will Edmonton Help?

Provincial officials are making plans to  
carry on a more energetic campaign during  
the coming summer against noxious  
weeds. It is in order to remind the city  
council that it can help very much in that  
good cause if so minded.

It is a reasonable estimate that Edmon-  
ton produced enough weed seed last sum-  
mer to infect every acre of cultivated land  
within twenty miles of the city. As a com-  
munity we go in heavily for that branch  
of production every year, but probably  
made an all-time record in 1944.

Council should look over the anti-weed  
bylaw, revise it where necessary in the  
direction of severity and then put some one  
on the job who will see that it is enforced.

If a property-owner will not cut weeds  
on his lot, the city should do it for him  
and send him the bill. If men cannot be  
hired to keep the boulevards trimmed, the  
adjoining householders should be com-  
pelled to do it.

The farmers in the country around  
have a legitimate grievance against the city  
for sending a consignment of weed  
seeds onto their land every time the wind  
blows in late summer. Council should do  
something about this.

## War Needs Come First

It has been made harder to obtain  
materials with which to make unnecessary  
alterations or repairs to buildings other  
than industrial. Any person must now  
get a license in order to make changes in  
such a building if the cost will exceed \$500.

The restrictions apply to houses and  
apartment blocks, as to other non-indus-  
trial buildings. This may to some extent  
affect housing in crowded centres, though  
it is to be supposed licenses will be granted  
as in the past where the need of accom-  
modation is known to be serious.

The aim appears to be to halt the mak-  
ing of improvements which are not really  
necessary, and that will involve no great  
hardship. The reason for tightening the  
restrictions is that increased war produc-  
tion is making a heavier demand for  
materials.

It should be easy to put off making  
some non-essential addition or alteration  
to the family home when by so doing the  
war factories will be enabled to turn out  
still more of the "tools" our fighting men  
must have—and which they are wearing  
out now faster than ever before. The new  
verandah can wait, and there will be lots of  
time to build the sun-room when the over-  
seas job has been finished.

## The Alaska Highway

The United States Army is to abandon  
the Canol project at the 1st of April. Word  
from Washington is that the Alaska High-  
way may be abandoned at the same time,  
though this is uncertain.

The Dominion Government has an op-  
tion to buy the Canol installations at an  
appraised value, and representatives of the  
two governments are or soon will be  
at work on the price. The Highway auto-  
matically becomes the property of the Do-  
minion if and when the U. S. Army relin-  
quishes control.

Whether this control is to be termi-  
nated soon or later, the pertinent and more  
important question is whether or not the  
Highway will be maintained. As nearly  
half the Canadian sector of the new road  
lies in British Columbia, and the connec-  
tions at this end are in Alberta, the gov-  
ernments of these two provinces are involved,  
and a determining factor in the calculation  
may be whether the highway fits in with  
their plans for northern development.

Like the Canol enterprise, the useful-  
ness of the Highway as a peacetime utility  
is the point to be considered. Both have  
largely served their military purpose, and  
economic value is now the measure of what  
they are worth. What they cost has nothing  
to do with the case, nor whether they  
were militarily necessary or effective.

Decision as to maintaining the High-  
way should be based on a realistic view  
of the prospective benefits versus the  
maintenance expense, not overlooking the

tourist possibilities along with the mineral  
and other development which the road  
makes practicable.

## Jointly or Not at All

The Big Three powers are consulting  
about the composition and character of  
the new government of Premier Groza of  
Romania. This is the first time they have  
acted together under the terms of the  
Yalta agreement to intervene jointly in  
the affairs of a liberated country. The  
object is to make sure that the government  
represents the people of Romania and is  
not a dummy set up in the interests of out-  
siders.

This of course is "power politics"—a  
term which causes shivers in some quar-  
ters, and provokes hot condemnation from  
those who believe great powers never in-  
terfere in the affairs of small ones except  
with some ulterior purpose in view.

But it should be clear even to these  
suspicious ones that Britain, the United  
States and Russia cannot all have sinister  
or selfish designs on Romania, and that  
since they are acting together each is a  
check on the other—if a check is needed.

If Nazism and Fascism are to be pre-  
vented regaining power there will have to  
be more or less intervention in a good  
many places in Europe. But after the  
slander to which Britain was subjected  
for intervening in Greece it is morally  
certain that neither Britain nor the United  
States would act alone in any other area.

Where regulative interference is neces-  
sary it is better that the Big Three act to-  
gether—and that in any case is probably  
the only basis on which there will be any  
action at all.

Tokyo radiomen do not seem certain  
whether it is better propaganda to belittle  
the size of the bomber fleets which visit  
Japanese cities or to elaborate on the vast  
amount of damage these are doing. Ac-  
cordingly the broadcasters compromise by  
doing both. Maybe their hearers will be  
calmed and cheered by telling them that  
the bombing fleets are really quite small  
but the damage they do is awful. That  
line of talk wouldn't quiet westerners, but  
perhaps the Oriental mind works in re-  
verse.

## Looking Backward

From The Bulletin Files

### 1895: 50 Years Ago

Edmonton is to be in the swim so far as summer  
sports are concerned. Koney Island will be in the  
future be to Northern Alberta what Rat Portage is  
to be to the residents of Manitoba, a favorite water-  
ing place. Cooking Lake, 15 miles southeast of  
town, has long been known as one of the most beau-  
tiful sheets of water in the northwest. Recently a  
local committee of well-known business men, of  
whom S. S. Taylor is a leading spirit, purchased  
the island from the government and have let con-  
tracts for the erection of a magnificent club house  
and the building of a large yacht. Several private  
parties are also building yachts.

Edmonton Conservatives are sending delegates  
to a meeting at Calgary on the 20th. There is some  
dissatisfaction with the nomination of Mr. Coch-  
rane as party candidate for Alberta.

M. McCauley brought a horse by last train from  
Chatham.

### 1905: 40 Years Ago

St. Petersburg.—An Imperial edict issued today  
curtly dismisses Kuropatkin and appoints Lin-  
vich to the supreme command of the Far Eastern  
armies.

St. Petersburg.—Word has come that Nogi and  
Oku have succeeded in driving the Russians out of  
their new position at the Pass, which had been  
strongly fortified. Vast stores have fallen to the  
Japanese, along with the railroad yards and repair  
shops. The Japanese government is assigning quar-  
ters to 43,000 Russians captured in the recent  
fighting.

C. Tessier returned yesterday from the east.  
O. W. Mathers left Sunday for the coast.  
S. Kennedy returned yesterday from the coast.

### 1915: 30 Years Ago

The Property Owners' Association is urging the  
city council to place the street railway under an  
independent commission.

Ottawa.—Gen. Sam Steele will command the  
second contingent.

London.—The government will take control of  
factories producing war material.

Edmonton and Calgary are applying to the Leg-  
islature for charter amendments which would es-  
tablish universal franchise.

The province has a bank balance of \$1,355,187.  
Seattle.—The German consul and his secretary  
here were arrested for attempting to bribe a dock  
yard employee to sell business secrets of his employers.

### 1925: 20 Years Ago

London.—Foreign Secretary Chamberlain re-  
jected the security protocol at Geneva.

Ottawa.—Without division the Commons passed  
a resolution asking for legislation that would, if  
possible, prevent the "watering of stock."

Montreal.—Miss Agnes Macphail prophesied  
that party government in Canada is doomed.

Vancouver.—A delegation representing the  
Board of Trade will go to Ottawa to urge the con-  
struction of a direct railway line from Peace River  
to the coast.

### 1935: 10 Years Ago

Washington.—Germany's action in increasing her  
peacetime army to 36 divisions is causing grave con-  
cern in official circles here.

Brussels.—Belgium views "with extreme gravity"  
the action of Chancellor Hitler in renouncing the  
military terms of the Versailles treaty and making  
military service compulsory.

Moscow.—The Soviet government views Ger-  
many's repudiation of the military clauses of the  
Versailles treaty as a menace to European peace.

Rome.—Despite the widely recognized serious-  
ness of Hitler's action in decreeing compulsory  
military service in defiance of the Versailles treaty,  
official circles here are not greatly surprised at the  
move.

London.—The British government has protested  
to Germany against the latter's decision to create a  
new army by conscription, terming this a move dan-  
gering peace.

## Today's Text

Now therefore fear the Lord and serve him  
in sincerity and in truth; and put away the gods  
which your fathers served on the other side of the  
flow, and in Egypt; and serve ye the Lord.

—Joshua 24:14

Sincerity is impossible, unless it pervade the  
whole being and the presence of it saps the very  
foundation of character. —Lowell

# Palestine Issue Is Re-opened

## War Has Changed Jewish Situation All Over the World

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

Apparently one result of the con-  
ferences that have been held in the  
Middle East is the re-opening of  
the Palestine problem. The leading  
Arab anti-Zionist among the Arab  
princes is Ibn Saud, one of the  
three kings whom the Presi-



Dorothy Thompson

dent met at Su-  
ein a recent state-  
ment the Presi-  
dent remarked  
that he learned  
in five minutes  
talk with Ibn  
Saud more about  
the Arab and  
Jewish problems  
in Palestine than  
he could have ac-  
quired from the  
exchange of a dozen letters. Fol-  
lowing the President, Mr. Church-  
ill spoke with Ibn Saud and the  
other Arab leaders, and in his  
report to the House of Commons  
said that the solution of the Jewish  
question in Palestine would have to  
be postponed until after the war.

So it is obvious that both the  
President and Mr. Churchill dis-  
cuss the Palestine problem as it  
affects Arabs and Jews, which  
Churchill is the heir to the Balfour  
Declaration establishing a national  
home for the Jews in Palestine,  
and Mr. Roosevelt is committed—  
as are the Republicans—to the es-  
tablishment of the Jewish commonwealth there.

Now, the Arabs have taken the  
initiative and made a compromise  
offer. The status of the Jews in  
Palestine is at present determined  
by the white paper (British) which  
would have halted all Jewish im-  
migration after March, 1944, or lim-  
ited it to 75,000 since 1939. This  
quota is now all but exhausted.  
Against this the Zionist Jews have  
been vigorously campaigning.

Arabs, ever since the last war,  
have been attempting to create a  
pan-Arabian federation to include  
Syria and Palestine, Saudi Arabia,  
and Egypt. There are two diffi-  
culties to be overcome: the rivalry  
between the Arab states and

princes over leadership; and the  
problem of Palestine. Arabian ob-  
jections to a Jewish state or home-  
land there are the cause of the  
white paper.

Immediately following the talks  
of the Arab leaders with Roose-  
velt an all-Arabian conference took  
place in Cairo. It seems that the  
rivalry has been, to some degree,  
subordinated to the pan-Arabian  
aim, in favor of a loose confeder-  
ation. To solve the second difficulty,  
the Arabs have offered to permit  
an additional 300,000 Jews to enter  
Palestine, with the object of keep-  
ing the Jewish and Moslem-Arab  
populations there at "parity."

Actually the Arabs would always  
have a majority under this plan,  
for it excludes the 150,000 Arabian  
Christians.

This plan, while it is a sizeable  
contribution to the problem of  
settling Jewish refugees, is no solu-  
tion for the Zionist desire to create  
a Jewish commonwealth. It will  
put the Zionists in a dilemma:  
whether to reject what is, on the  
surface, a considerable concession,  
with the probability, if it is re-  
jected, that all concession will be  
withdrawn; or, for the sake of im-  
mediate aid in solving the refugee  
problem, formally to abandon the  
millennial Jewish hope.

There have always been two  
schools of thought in Zionism—  
that of the western Jews who sup-  
ported the Palestine movement as  
an opportunity of new life for their  
oppressed co-religionists, and that  
of the eastern European Jews, who  
saw in it a messianic, restorationist  
idea. It is from these groups that  
the great Palestinian impulse has  
come. Their fervor has made the  
Palestinian settlement unique, and,  
indeed, one of the most remarkable  
colonization projects of our epoch.

The war has radically changed  
the Jewish situation in the world.  
The European Jews have been de-  
cimated. The greatest number of  
Jews live today in Soviet Russia  
and the United States, neither of  
which countries furnished immigra-  
tion to Palestine. There lately  
has been a tendency of Zionist  
Jews to accept as an accomplished  
fact that the position of the Jew in  
Europe will be untenable even after  
this war. Therefore, they be-  
lieve, since neither Russia nor the  
United States are going to be open



SIDE GLANCES—"Everything has gone wrong this week!  
We're out of ration coupons and the maid quit—I'll simply  
have to get out of this house tomorrow and get a new  
hair-do!"

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# Here's Winter Boost for Ottawa

By CHESTER A. BLOOM

OTTAWA.—The cities of Mon-  
treal, Toronto, and this national  
capital have been having a spirited  
argument over which cleans snow  
from its streets and sidewalks most  
promptly. Persons of caution and  
judgment will avoid interjecting  
into such municipal rivalry an out-  
side opinion. But one may legiti-  
mately doubt whether any other  
city on the continent attacks its  
annual snow problem more vigor-  
ously and persistently than Ot-  
tawa.

Really, it is amazing how prompt-  
ly an army of men and machines,  
immediately following a heavy  
snowfall, clears the streets and  
sidewalks on Sparks, Bank, Elgin  
and intersecting streets of the  
downtown shopping area.

The Ottawa civic attitude to-  
ward snowstorms is about that of  
the prairie farmer toward plough-  
ing. It has to be done annually,  
come rain, shine or snow. Or, per-  
haps it is more like that of the  
housewife who regards the daily  
dusting as just a routine.

Snow cleaning in Ottawa is merely  
a regular chore after every storm;  
and, be it whispered, the average  
snowfall in Ottawa is pretty close  
to six feet per winter—not all at  
once, of course.

This winter has been an unusu-  
ally tough one for the snow-  
cleaners. Added to manpower and  
machine shortage, a heavier snow-  
fall, some 75 inches, approaching  
the record of 82 inches, plus un-  
usual alterations of heavy snow,  
sleet, thawing, rain, freezing, fol-  
lowed by snow again. Compound-  
ed layers of ice and solidified  
snow, in many places two feet  
thick, covered the sidewalks and  
pavements of Sparks, Elgin, Bank,  
Queen and other streets in the  
shopping area are completely clear  
and dry.

Having said all these nice things  
concerning Mayor Stanley Lewis  
and his snow-cleaning army, it  
pains me every day to look at the  
housekeeping, or rather lack of it,  
of our federal government. A full  
half-mile of pavement and side-  
walk stretching along Wellington  
street in front of the Parliament  
and other government buildings,  
all the way from the Chateau Lau-  
rier hotel to the temporary build-  
ings at Lyon street, is a mortal  
disgrace to a national capital.

Now, don't pull that old wheeze

of "Don't you know there's a war  
on?" We all know that, and so do  
the city fathers of Ottawa, to their  
great financial worry. Yet they  
have diligently attended to the  
comfort and safety of their citizens  
and the appearance of the city.

The war has nothing to do with  
the Dominion Government's neg-  
lect of its front street and side-  
walks. Neither has politics nor  
party; it runneth back to the mem-  
ory of no man to the contrary.

Tradition has it that in Sir John  
A. Macdonald's time, an unlucky  
wight cleared a space of snow on  
the street near Wellington. A  
minister slipped there, report says,  
and severely bruised his thickest  
upholstery, so he had to eat stand-  
ing. Since then, no one has used  
a shovel except to spread some  
sand occasionally.

From the beginning of February  
on into late spring, Wellington  
street in front of our matchless  
Parliament building is alternately  
a highway of ice runs on a river  
of water with deep pools from  
which motor cars splash pedestri-  
ans. The stretch of sidewalk from  
Elgin intersection to the Chateau  
Laurier hotel is especially distress-  
ing. A commingling of dirty snow,  
sand, black mud and melting ice  
under the spring sun splashes wool  
socks and sheer stockings alike.

Through this mixture waste  
thousands of government employ-  
ees daily, and business visitors  
from other cities trudging from  
the Chateau Laurier uptown or to  
the Parliament buildings. It is  
Ottawa's worst advertisement. Per-  
haps, after all, we need a woman  
minister in the cabinet.

# Parliament Is Not Interested

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

The extraordinary variation in  
farm income tax collections in the  
various provinces of Canada, as  
revealed in The Financial Post, has  
caused widespread surprise and  
grave doubts throughout the nation.  
It is worth recalling the figures  
of farm income taxes assessed for  
the tax year 1942-43, the last figures  
issued, as follows:

Prince Edward Island	\$ 1,539
Nova Scotia	5,690
New Brunswick	459
Quebec	5,205

Ontario	79,854
Manitoba	34,661
Saskatchewan	205,835
Alberta	63,113
British Columbia	43,876

Total .....\$440,212

Tax officials at Ottawa, accord-  
ing to The Financial Post, admit  
that they are disappointed in farm  
income tax collections. The total  
assessment against all the farmers  
of Canada, less than half a million  
dollars in 1942-43, would seem to  
justify this disappointment. But  
more remarkable is the variation  
in collections of farm taxes in the  
different provinces; most remark-  
able of all that in 1942-43 Saskat-  
chewan farmers paid almost half  
the farm income taxes of the na-  
tion. This can hardly correspond  
to the actual income of the farm-  
ing population. The conclusion  
which most farmers will draw is  
that the efficiency of collection  
varies in the various tax districts.  
Unless tax officials can explain it  
otherwise, the farmers of Saskat-  
chewan will imagine that they  
were checked up more closely than  
the farmers elsewhere.

This raises a much larger ques-  
tion. Does the same surprising  
variation in collections affect other  
income taxes? Are they more effi-  
ciently collected in one province  
than another, according to the  
varying abilities and energies of  
the local tax officials?

It is impossible to answer this  
question without an up-to-date  
breakdown of the total Canadian  
income tax. So far Parliament has  
shown little interest in this matter.  
It has never seriously sought to  
find out precisely where our in-  
come tax stands, or how far we  
are behind in the collection of it.

That we are far behind, that the  
system has broken down under the  
load it must carry is obvious to  
everyone; and equally obvious is  
the fact that collections will not

be put on a sound basis until bet-  
ter and simpler machinery is de-  
vised. But we do not know what  
amount of taxes are outstanding  
and in arrears either in total or in  
the various districts.

The figures covering farm in-  
come are so hard to understand  
that Parliament should follow  
them up and insist upon knowing,  
without further delay, similar  
figures for the total income tax.  
If Parliament once were seized of  
the present delay and confusion  
existing in our income tax system  
we are confident it would compel  
the reconstruction of this system.  
And if Parliament were seized of  
the manifold injustices, inequities  
and arbitrary official powers of  
the tax law—evils which, in many  
cases, do not exist in Britain or the  
United States—it would compel a  
revision of the law for the pro-  
tection of the taxpayer. But this  
important problem Parliament  
has been asleep for years.

## Spring

FROM THE VICTORIA  
COLONIST

Spring is only loosely related to  
its real birth in deeper and age-old.  
It is the unquenching of the earth to  
new life, fresh starts and new en-  
deavor after nature's brief nap. It  
may announce itself as an unwar-  
med softness in the evening air.  
Rarely, if ever, does it wait for the  
physical manifestation of its com-  
ing first and foremost of all. Like  
crossing a river, one passes from  
the bank called Winter to that  
known as Spring. It is there sud-  
denly, and very welcome.

A man who had been stopping at  
a fashionable hotel was paying his  
bill. He looked up at the girl cashier  
and asked what it was she had  
around her neck.

"A ribbon, of course," she said,  
"Why?" he replied, "everything  
else is so high around here that I  
thought perhaps it was your gar-  
tlet."

It's not the rust on a rusty nail  
that causes infection. A shiny one  
can be just as dangerous if it car-  
ries germs.

# Britain's Lesson

From The London Daily Mail

It is not for us to urge the adop-  
tion of a national service act or to  
press upon America any particular  
postwar policy. But we may use-  
fully inquire why America's atti-  
tude is still one of detachment and  
why the urgencies of the war have  
not been felt on the home front to  
the extent that they have in other  
belligerent countries. The reasons  
are, of course, geographical—and  
we do not have to look very far to  
find a parallel. Britain herself has  
always favored a semi-detached  
attitude towards Europe, until the  
threat of tyranny has brought us to  
war. We, too, have in the past mor-  
alised about self-seeking foreign  
nations, as some Americans are do-  
ing today. We, too, were not organ-  
ized for total war until we were  
shocked into it. Our lesson has  
been learnt. Last year Mr. Eden  
said that "We have to play a part in  
Europe"—and that is the basis of  
our future foreign policy. We  
should, nevertheless sympathize  
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bid farewell to her isolationism.  
But she will also discover that such  
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## District News In Brief

### Coronation Makes Grant To Institute

CORONATION — Grants have been made by the Town Council to the Canadian Institute for the Blind, the Salvation Army and the Red Cross. The Canadian Legion branch is negotiating with the council for a long-term lease on the Elks hall, which would be renamed Memorial hall.

Charles Ross has completed 18 years as caretaker of the school. A total of \$800 has been collected here for the Red Cross with further contributions anticipated by campaign officials.

Miss B. Luke, British war bride of F.O. Claude Luke, has arrived in Canada and is expected to arrive soon in Coronation.

A funeral service was held at the United Church for Oliver G. Twa, 74-year-old district old-timer. He is survived by his wife, six sons and six daughters.

Cadet Capt. W. Taylor, Cadet-Lt. K. Clark, Cadet-Sgt. E. Clark, Cadet B. Brown and Cadet V. Carter have qualified for the bronze buttons in Dominion marksmanship competitions. Capt. M. R. Butterfield presented the buttons.

### Steamship Lost

STOCKHOLM, March 19.—(Reuters)—The Swedish consulate general in London has reported that the Swedish steamship Magne has been lost off Scotland. Ten lives were lost.

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### Mayor of Andrew Has Been Teacher, Lumber Manager, Broker and 'Postie'

ANDREW—Brought up and educated in the Edmonton district, it is little wonder that Mayor William A. Lesick should take as his first consideration the development and betterment of his town, Andrew, and the surrounding district.

For the last 16 years, Mayor Lesick has taken an active part in the life of the community. He took up residence at Andrew in August, 1928, before the present CPR track was laid. In fact, the day after the future mayor arrived, "the steel" officially reached and passed Andrew. Mr. Lesick was the first secretary-treasurer of the village. Subsequently he was postmaster for six years, and then managed the Imperial Lumber company until November, 1940, when he entered the field of real estate and general insurance.

He was born in 1895 in the

Ukraine, the son of Samuel Lesick and the former Helen Zachary. He received his schooling at Vegreville and Edmonton's Strathcona and Victoria High schools, and the Edmonton Normal School. He was married in Edmonton to Miss Emily Syrouck, and started his career as a teacher at Clair, Sask. He has also taught in Alberta, at Raymond, Strathcona, Spedden and Egremont.

### ON BOARD OF TRADE

In addition to his professional and mayoral duties, he is a member of the Ukrainian Educational Society, the Andrew Curling Club and the Community Welfare Association. He is president of the Ukrainian Church, and vice-president of the Andrew board of trade. His recreations include mainly football, basketball, hockey and curling.

### Mr. Mrs. H. Schmidt Make Home Mameo

MILLET—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schmidt left here Saturday for Mameo Beach and were the guests of honor at a number of social gatherings. Mr. Schmidt has purchased a business interest at the summer resort.

A group of friends presented the couple with a gift of household linen, and also gave a remembrance to their daughter, Mrs. A. Peterson, who will make her home with them. Mr. Schmidt was feted at the curling club when he was presented with a pipe. J. O. Barib presented.

At the WAWW meeting, regret was voiced in the loss of Mrs. Schmidt, who had been an active worker in the organization.

The Japanese alphabet contains two sets of characters, one for men and the other for women.

### Expect Clinic

VERMILION — The Red Cross branch has organized for the visit of the Mobile Blood Donor Clinic April 3 to 6. Red Cross campaign canvassers report a good response to the current financial drive. Committee from the vestry of St. Saviour's Church is attempting to locate a central site for a new church and rectory.

### Home On Leave

McLENNAN—F. O. Cuthbert, DFC and Tele. P. Curling, RCNVR, were recent visitors. A social evening was held by the local Elks and Royal Purple lodges in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. Clarke who were married recently. The Women's Institute has prepared a large number of Bundles for Britain.

### Hotelman Returns

PIBROCH—John F. Herman, former owner of the Pibroch hotel, has returned from an extended trip to the United States. He will make his home here. The National Film Board, with Paul Gutowsky as operator, presented a motion picture in the community hall before a large attendance.

### Visits Millet

MILLET—Miss G. Helmers of the RCAF (WD), is a guest of her uncle, George and Gust Helmers. She is stationed at Yorkton, Sask. Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. B. Grabia that their son, Cpl. H. Grabia, RCAMC, is serving overseas.

### Vessel Agrou

COOS BAY, Ore., M.—(AP)—A loaded coast lumber freighter ran aground north of here Saturday with a raging sea and a 95-mile wind separating the crew from shore. Coast guardsmen from Charleston, Ore., answered an SOS from the ship. The number of men aboard is not known.



"DON'T CROSS YOUR BRIDGES"—Map above shows rivers that cut through the north German plain in the path of Allied advance toward Berlin, and some of the many dams in those streams which Nazis may blast to impede Allied progress.

### Allies May Make Reich Pay Heavily

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—The Weekly Economist said Saturday: "There is reason to believe that the Big Three are thinking in terms of exacting reparations (from Germany) to the tune of about 1,000,000,000 (\$4,500,000,000) a year for 20 years, in addition to restitution of what has been stolen."

President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin announced after the Yalta conference that Germany would be required to make compensation "in kind" for damage caused to Allied countries. A commission will be set up in Moscow to consider the extent and methods of compensation. "In kind" would indicate payment in goods and services.

The Economist's statement was included in an article which discussed the advisability of creating an independent Ruhr-Rhine state, on the grounds that Germany "could not fight an aggressive war without control of the heavy industries" of that region. The Economist held that an independent Rhineland policy should be adopted "only if it stands more than an even chance of working."

### McCoy Health Service

While many people are familiar with acute appendicitis, they are not so well informed regarding chronic appendicitis, which is a fairly common disorder. Undoubtedly, many patients have developed chronic appendicitis but are unaware of the true nature of their trouble. This is partly because of the fact that so often the chief symptoms of chronic appendicitis will not point to inflammation of the appendix and will appear to be coming from the stomach. Frequently, a most careful examination must be given before it will become a certainty that a diseased appendix is the real source of the patient's symptoms. As a general rule, the patient with chronic appendicitis will remember having had an acute attack some time before which subsided, being followed by periods of comparatively mild distress, during which periods a chronic appendicitis becomes troublesome. Many doctors prefer to call chronic appendicitis a sub-acute inflammation but my investigation has disclosed that unquestionably, there exists a chronic inflammation of the appendix which may be correctly referred to as chronic appendicitis. The symptoms vary considerably, although the most pronounced symptoms are likely to point to the stomach as the offender. The patient may describe a sense of discomfort after meals, and this may become intense enough to be described as an actual stomach pain. The patient is distressed by stomach and intestinal gas and by nausea. Any pain which is present is not likely to center around the appendix area and will probably appear in the region of the stomach or in the epigastric region which is the upper middle part of the abdomen. Occasionally, the pain may appear to be distributed generally over the abdomen. However, if a careful examination is made, it usually will be found that deep pressure over the appendix will demonstrate a localized tenderness, restricted to just that one spot. The localized tenderness elicited by deep pressure is a valuable diagnostic sign in these cases. Almost invariably, the patient with chronic appendicitis suffers from stubborn constipation. The most definite way to arrive at the diagnosis is to take X-ray pictures and also to study the appendix under the fluoroscopic X-ray. When the appendix is located under the fluoroscope, if it is the seat of chronic inflammation, it will be found that the point of greatest tenderness centers around the appendix and that when the appendix is moved by the fingers of the examining doctor, the point of greatest tenderness will also be moved to correspond with the changed position of the appendix. Once in a while the patient states that he undergoes a dull pain in the lower right hand side of the abdomen when he is tired or after strenuous exercise, and this symptom indicates possible involvement of the appendix. In mild cases of chronic appendicitis, the patient is able to carry on his ordinary activity.

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PRIVATE BUCK—"Don't fire that pop-gun again! You interrupted Buck's story of how he captured those fifty Japs!"

### Official List Of Casualties

ROYAL CAN. NAVY (LIST 237)  
Missing since the 3rd of March, 1945  
Steyn, Garfield, J. A.R. Convent, B.C.

RCAF OVERSEAS (LIST A-144)

KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE  
Brewer, Morley J. F. Sgt. R12328, F. M. Brewer (father), Winnipeg, Alta.

Carson, Sidney T. F.O. Toronto  
Fisher, F. G. F. Sgt. Waind, Ont.  
H. A. Fitzpatrick (father), Diana Court, Medicine Hat, Alta.

Scott, Richard M. F.O. J1118, E. K. Scott (father), Lacombe, Alta.  
Whitehouse, K. F. F.O. Toronto.

MISSING ON ACTIVE SERVICE  
Fitzpatrick, John E. F. Sgt. R12328, H. A. Fitzpatrick (father), Diana Court, Medicine Hat, Alta.

Forster, A. M. F. Sgt. Ridgeville, Man. MacDonald, J. L. F. Sgt. Glace Bay, N.S.

Mahler, L. H. F.O. Wrightville, Que. Marshall, L. E. F. Sgt. Sault Ste. Marie.

Martin, Maurice J. F.O. J1881, H. D. Martin (father), 1921 114 St. Edmonton, Alta.

McIntyre, H. B. F.O. Vankleek Hill, Ont.  
Morley, J. F. F. Sgt. Redbury, Ont. Stone, T. A. F.O. Drayton, Ont.

Taylor, G. S. F.O. Owen Sound, Ont. Hamilton, I. M. F.O. Toronto.

Jeffery, K. A. F. Sgt. Halifax. O'Neill, M. F. F.O. Halifax.

Schroeder, D. K. F.O. Guelph, Ont. Schiller, Donald L. F.O. J1013, Mrs. H. I. Schiller (mother), Milton, Alta.

Simmons, Harold E. F.O. Toronto. Wood, John W. F.O. Toronto.

MISSING, BELIEVED DROWNED—McGovern, Patrick J. LAC, Vancouver. Murray, Jack, LAC, R180760, Mr. J. A. Murray (father), Fortsburg, Alta.

York merely that "it may be true and it may not be true" that he is going abroad. Among other public duties, he has been helping plan for demobilization and reconversion.

### A Correction

In an article appearing Friday's editions of The Edmonton Bulletin, an inadvertence was included in regard to a statement by Elmer E. Roper (CCF-Edmonton), concerning his stand on the question of taxation of co-operative savings.

The statement should have read as below: "Mr. Roper, closing the debate, said that Mr. Houke (Hon. A. J. Houke, provincial secretary) had said about co-op growth applied not only to Alberta but to every province in Canada. He agreed with previous speakers that the move to tax co-ops was aimed to break the wheat pools. 'If the pools had been held down to the terms of this amendment (under discussion at the time), they would never have grown to the position they are in today,' he declared."

## Better Types Needed Want New Tanks at Front, Less Talk in Washington

The following dispatch on United States tanks is by a correspondent who just returned to London from the U.S. 9th army front.—EDITOR.

By WES GALLAGHER

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—The reaction of American tank soldiers who have had to do the fighting is that they want new tanks on the battle line and less talk about them in Washington. (Seventeen words censored from this paragraph.)

(Gallagher's dispatch was written in response to information that there had been much discussion in Washington about the new General Pershing tank, equipped with guns of 90-mm. calibre, nearly four inches. He apparently was not permitted to say whether the Pershing has been in action in Europe.)

A new wide tread and increased flotation has made the General Pershing a better wet weather tank than the main dependence of United States armored forces. (107 words deleted before and after this paragraph.)

USED BY CANADIANS  
The United States Sherman and British Churchill tanks are in use in Canada's armored forces. The proportions of each type employed vary according to the type of action.)

Men and officer alike who have seen battle action day after day and fought in Shermans for two years say they are fed up with the statements coming out of Washington praising American equipment.

The German Army may well have lost two tanks to every one lost by the Allies, but that does not mean they lost them in armored fighting.

This figure apparently included tanks the Germans lost to the air force, bazookas, artillery, mines and all other means.

FOE TANKS BEST  
American tank men say they feel that the Germans have been using Tigers and Panthers for two years and that only as the war is nearing an end are the American armies able to produce their equal, and that only in dribble form. (185 words censored.)

In Washington, Chairman J. A. Krug of the War Production Board, said the new General Pershing tank is "just coming into production." He said production did not start until late last year, but that steep production schedules have been set.

### Buried at Coast

VICTORIA, March 19.—(CP)—Funeral services were held Saturday for Walter George Dale, 49, who died here Thursday, from kidney trouble. Mr. Dale came here four years ago from Kitchener, Ont. He is survived by one son, Laurence Dale of Marwayne, Alta.



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## Rift Rumored Between Heads Of Air Force

TORONTO, March 19.—(CP)—The Globe and Mail, in a news-story today said retirement of Air Marshal L. S. Bredner as air officer commanding RCAF overseas. "Suddenly as it was unexpected, has given weight to recent rumors that all has not been well between the chief of the overseas command and air headquarters at Ottawa."

Air Marshal Bredner's retirement, effective April 1, was announced in Ottawa last week without the slightest explanation, the newspaper said.

### IMMEDIATE CAUSE

"It is reported the immediate cause of his retirement is to be found directly in Air Marshal Bredner's status in relation to the present chief of air staff, Air Marshal Robert Leckie."

The paper said that at the time of the appointment, Air Minister Power, who has since resigned, would report to the air minister rather than the chief of air staff.

"The minister's statement was interpreted as a straight indication that the transfer did not involve on Air Marshal Bredner's part, a change in status within the air force and in particular did not make him, as former chief of air staff, subordinate to his successor."

The paper said that while "nothing has been released, there are strong grounds for believing that since Maj. Power's resignation from the cabinet this understood position has been changed and ultimately led to Air Marshal Bredner's retirement."

## Extensive V-Bomb Damage in Antwerp

By PUGH MOORE

ANTWERP, Belgium, March 19.—(AP)—Sections of this ancient city have suffered from German V-weapons as badly as some localities in London's most V-bombed borough.

A walk through Antwerp streets yesterday disclosed many huge piles of rubble. For two or three blocks in each direction from these scenes of destruction, there isn't a single window intact. Hundreds of buildings have been wrecked.

It is permissible to disclose that Germans flung V-weapons into this great port city for four months ending Jan. 31 of this year.

The V-bomb attacks started soon after the city fell last August to British forces. The Germans were attempting to destroy the port's usefulness for the Allied supply build-up.

## Pay Days in Reich Are To Be Fewer, Farther Between

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Paydays are going to be fewer and farther between for the Germans now, according to a Berlin home radio broadcast Saturday. The broadcast said "competent authorities" had approved a plan whereby those previously paid weekly "will get their wages every four or five weeks and those paid monthly will get their salaries every three months." No reason was offered, but it was assumed the change resulted from transfer of clerical office workers into the Volksturm.

## Four Candidates Placed in Field By Latest Party

VANCOUVER, March 19.—(CP)—The Democratic Party of Canada Saturday announced nomination of four candidates for the next federal general election.

W. R. Smith, 39-year-old Vancouver building contractor who founded the new party, issued a statement showing himself as candidate in Vancouver Centre.

The three other candidates were R. J. Smith for Vancouver South, William Wallace for Vancouver East and S. H. Broach for New Westminster.

About 70 persons attended the party's first rally early this week.

## Lumber Is Saved In Flash Blaze

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C., March 19.—(CP)—More than 2,500,000 feet of lumber were saved by firemen here Saturday when a flash blaze destroyed the Cairns planing mill and threatened to consume the huge pile of lumber in the nearby yard. A total of 25,000 feet of lumber inside the mill was burned. M. S. Cairne, owner of the five-year-old mill, estimated that the damage would total more than \$10,000.

### Steelmen Idle

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., March 19.—(CP)—More than 1,000 steelworkers were idle yesterday as a result of the walkout last Friday of 35 narrow-gauge brakemen at the plant of the Algoma Steel Corporation. The walkout resulted from a long-standing wage dispute between the men and the National War Labor Board.



**CANADA HONORED**—At the meeting of the Governing Body of the International Labor Office, held in London, England, in January, Paul Martin, MP, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Labor, was named chairman of the committee on constitution. Picture shows Mr. Martin (centre) with Chas. Laurent, French Confederation of Labor, who represented the workers of France (at left) and Joseph Hallsworth, National Union of Distributive and Allied Workers, who represented the workers of Britain (at right). Mr. Hallsworth and Mr. Laurent moved the nomination of Mr. Martin as committee chairman.

## Woman Convict Has Her Second Child in Jail

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—(AP)—The second child of a woman convict who has completed 13 years of a life sentence for a St. Louis county murder.

Clara Fish, the convict, told prison officials the father of her nine-pound son, born Friday, is a convict trusty assigned to work at the women's branch of the prison, outside the walls of the main penitentiary.

Her first child, born in 1936, died shortly after birth. That child's paternity was traced to a prison guard.

Warden Thomas E. Whitecotton said the child will not be brought to the prison and that welfare organizations will be consulted about its future.

## Earl of Athlone, Princess Alice Going to States

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—The Earl of Athlone, governor general of Canada, and his wife, Princess Alice, will arrive in Washington next Thursday to be White House guests for three days.

The reception to the governor general follows closely on the visit to the White House of Prime Minister Mackenzie King who a few days ago returned to Ottawa after discussing Canadian-American relations, particularly post-war economic affairs, with President Roosevelt.

Another distinguished visitor was due at the White House Saturday—Crown Princess Juliana of the Netherlands. She was due in from Canada to be the Roosevelts' weekend guest.

## Phelan Declares Reserve Army Fine Citizenship Training

WINNIPEG, March 19.—(CP)—Maj.-Gen. F. R. Phelan, DSO, of Ottawa, believes the Canadian reserve army is a fine training ground for citizenship.

Gen. Phelan, director-general of the reserve army, said in an interview today the reserve is giving young men "a real sense of discipline and an appreciation of their responsibilities as citizens."

He said the post-war role of the reserve would probably remain as it is today with every effort being made to retain within it various regimental traditions.

## Four Thompsons At Church Service

KINGSTON, Ont., March 19.—(CP)—Four Thompsons, all ministers of the United Church of Canada, yesterday took part in services of Queen Street United Church here. Present were Rev. R. W. Thompson, minister of the church, his two brothers, Rev. W. H. Thompson of South Stukely, Que., and Rev. R. M. Thompson of Edmonton, and his nephew, Sqdn. Ldr. the Rev. Leslie Thompson of Halifax.

## Want Canada at All Empire Talks

TORONTO, March 19.—(CP)—Board of evangelism and social service of the United Church of Canada at the final session of their annual meeting Saturday urged that Canada be represented at all Commonwealth conferences and that the government by a minister of external affairs "who is not the prime minister."

### Get Light Terms

ASSINBOIA, Sask., March 19.—(CP)—Roy Ogle, 25, and Jean Goselin, 25, both halfbreeds of Wood Mountain, Sask., were sentenced Saturday to three years in Prince Albert penitentiary for manslaughter after facing trial on charges of murdering Alex Humenluk, 60, Wood Mountain farmer, on April 1, 1944.

## Minesweeper Crews Back in Dominion

By IAN MACNEIL

HALIFAX, March 19.—(CP)—Back from their role in the historic D-Day drama are the crews of two Canadian minesweepers Malpeque and Milltown. Returning with them as skipper of the Milltown was Commander A. G. Stores, DSC and Bar, senior officer of the famed 31st Flotilla which was the only all-Canadian flotilla overseas. Commander Stores was formerly of Victoria, but now lives in Halifax.

He told how 16 ships left Halifax in February, 1944, arriving in the United Kingdom in March where they formed one complete flotilla composed of 10 minesweepers, two trawlers and four Fairmiles.

On the night of June 5 the flotilla started out to sweep the way for the mighty invasion armada that was to follow. Just before dawn on the sixth they reached the French coast, the first ships in the area on that history-making day.

## Jail Term Is Given To Mass Murderer

LONDON, March 19.—(Reuters)—Dassio Hartobagy, 16-year-old Hungarian mass murderer, who committed 22 murders single-handed and took part in 300 others, has been sentenced to 15 years' hard labor in Budapest, Moscow Radio quoting reports from Budapest, said Saturday night. The court took into consideration the fact that Hartobagy was a tool of the ring-leaders of the Hungarian-fascists, who had fled, when passing sentence.

## Rites at Coast For Fritz Sick

VANCOUVER, March 19.—(CP)—Funeral services were held here Saturday for Fritz Sick, 45, who established many breweries in Western Canada. Friends, relatives and business associates gathered from as far east as Montreal. Sick died Thursday after a long illness.

Mayor A. W. Shackelford, of Lethbridge, arrived by plane to represent that city. Mr. Sick lived in Lethbridge for 30 years after founding the Lethbridge brewery in 1901. Two years ago Mr. Sick donated \$100,000 to Lethbridge for a community centre.

Rev. E. D. Braden conducted the funeral services.

Active pallbearers were R. H. B. Ker, Victoria; G. R. Whitmore, Regina; R. J. Chiswick, Calgary; R. R. Davidson, Lethbridge; William Hutton, Regina, and Thomas O. Turner, Vancouver.

Interment was at Vancouver.

## Ask Full Reports In Newspapers On Freed Lands

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—The executive committee of the national council for civil liberties urged Saturday that the government give "full facilities to all newspapers to report not only military events but political and social developments in liberated countries."

The request, in the form of a resolution, will be submitted to the council's annual general meeting March 24. It will ask the government to limit censorship to the bounds of military security.

Another proposed resolution would demand that the government refrain from interfering "to hamper the efforts" of liberated countries in working out their own democratic development.

### Leave Moscow

MOSCOW, March 19.—(AP)—The committee representing the American Society of Newspaper Editors left Moscow Friday "with a definite belief that progress has been made in the field of mutual understanding and international newspaper relationships," its statement released Saturday night said.



LAFF-A-DAY—"It's 'who-o-o', not 'what'!"

### To Shun Tories

PLYMOUTH, Eng., March 19.—(Reuters)—Emanuel Shinwell, Labor member of the House of Commons and frequent government critic, said here yesterday he was fairly certain Labor would decline to associate with the Conservatives in the government when the European war ends.

### Ship's Crew Safe

COOSBAY, Ore., March 19.—(AP)—All the officers and crew of a cargo vessel stranded on the rocks offshore near here were safe today after 13 men, braving a 95-mile gale, fought their way to beach on a life raft. All 31 men of the ship—the 2,500-ton SS Elvarado—were landed uninjured.

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## U.S. Soviet Planes In Fight Together

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—United States 8th Air Force Mustangs and Russian Yak fighters flew side by side in battle yesterday, defending a Russian airfield east of the Oder river from attack by four German fighters.

In a dogfight over the field, Capt. Ralph Cox, Robstown, Texas, 25-year-old squadron commander of the 359th fighter group, shot down a Focke-Wulf and said the Russian planes drove the other three enemy aircraft away.

Describing the teamwork with the Soviets, Cox said he led his squadron on patrol over the Oder river after escorting heavy bombers to Berlin, and spotted the German planes dive-bombing and strafing an airfield.

The Russians were defending their drome against four Focke-Wulf 190s which already had started strafing the west end of the field. I led my flight directly in behind the Jerries as they turned for

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another attack and began firing on the lead plane.

"My first burst struck the wings and fuselage and flames broke out. I pulled above the Jerry, and my wingman saw him crash near the field. By this time some 15 Russian Yaks had joined the battle, and as there were no enemy aircraft in view, we wagged our wings and headed for home."

## Control Commission Is Soon to Have New Technicians

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—The British government shortly will call for technicians and scientists with experience in major industries to work in the British zone of the Allied control commission, it was learned Saturday. Several hundred engineers, chemists, physicists, metallurgists and architects will be required and it is expected here that some of them will be found in Canada and the other Dominions. Experts with a knowledge of German manufacturing methods will re-establish German industries damaged in air attacks and in fighting on German territory.

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## Canadian Destroyer Takes Part 525 Norse Patriots Rescued In Daring Daylight Thrust

By FRANK LOWE  
LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Four destroyers of the British home fleet, including the Canadian destroyer Sioux, in a daring daylight thrust down a fjord behind German lines at North Cape, have rescued 525 Norwegian patriots who told how the Nazis destroyed their homes and food in a vain effort to force them into slavery.

The destroyer force, under command of Capt. J. H. Allison, DSO, RN, in HMS Zambesi, steamed 60 miles down a fjord to the island of Soroy in West Finmark. Lt. Cmdr. E. G. Boak of Victoria commanded the Sioux. The other ships were HMS Zetland (Cmdr. R. F. Jessel, DSO, DSC, RN, and HMS Zest (Lt. Cmdr. R. B. N. Hicks, DSO, RN).

Most of those rescued were women and children who had been hiding in caves and huts on the snow-covered mountains of the bleak island since late last autumn, moving constantly to keep out of the reach of German patrols that chased them through the bitter Arctic winter.

### ORDERED TO MOVE

As the Germans began withdrawing last November, the patriots related, the Norwegians were ordered to leave their homes and move south. To make certain the order was obeyed, the Nazis methodically burned down every house on the island, slaughtered all animals and destroyed food stocks. Two old women, too ill to be moved, were roasted alive in their flaming home, the Norwegians said.

The Germans took 1,200 of the healthiest men and women away for slave labor, while other patriots took to caves and snow huts and eked out a living through the cold months. Many of them had eaten nothing in the last 12 weeks except some fish and reindeer meat.

As soon as they were taken on board the refugees were given soup and a meal of corned beef and potatoes—the first vegetables they had tasted since their ordeal began.

### BABY BORN IN CAVE

One woman gave birth to a son in a cave only 10 days before she was rescued. Other women carried with them babies born only a week or two before their homes were set afire.

The destroyers steamed in unexpectedly, took the Germans by surprise and returned the Norwegians to a British port.

For the Sioux, this was a welcome break in the dangerous monotony of Arctic patrolling and, it was learned, it came unexpectedly.

The Canadian destroyer, which has established the reputation of being one of the fastest of its type afloat, was with a convoy when called to help Royal Navy ships with the tricky operation. After the Norwegian coast was cleared, she transferred the rescued to another ship and rejoined the convoy.

## McKenney On Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority

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### Regional Security Pact Is Probable

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—A treaty was expected in London diplomatic circles last night that France, championing the proposals of small nations at the forthcoming San Francisco conference, might join the Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg and possibly Norway in a regional security pact. These were indications that the ground-work had been laid among some of these western European countries for such a regional pact, to be fitted within the framework of the general world peace plan of the future.



**CWAC'S MAKE "TRINITY VESTS"**—Pte. Linda Cogswell models the "Trinity Vest" made by WAC handicraft enthusiasts at Trinity barracks, Toronto, Ont., for their husbands, brothers and sweethearts overseas. More than 50 already have been made. Original vest was made on request of Canadian soldier in Belgium who asked for sheepskin vest to wear under his battledress during cold winter fighting.

## MacArthur Gets Aussie Troops

By HAVELOCK HUNTER

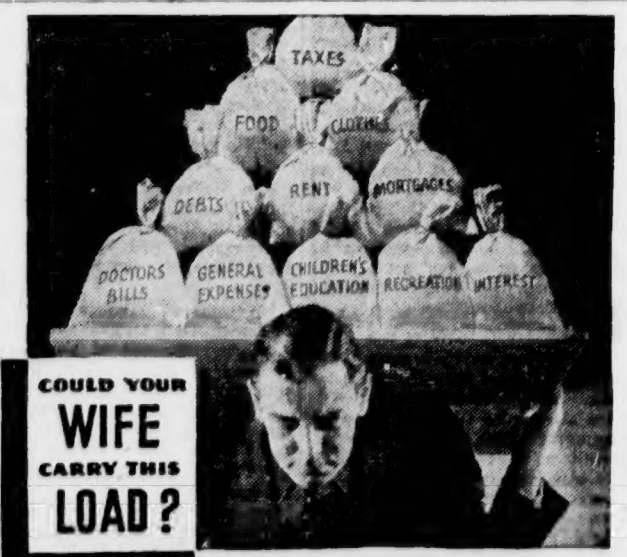
SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—(AP)—Australia has assigned additional troops—"a splendid striking force"—to Gen. Douglas MacArthur, southwest Pacific commander-in-chief, for use when "strategically practicable," Francis M. Forde, Australia's army minister, disclosed today.

Mr. Forde explained the troops were in addition to the Australian expeditionary forces engaged in eliminating an estimated 250,000 Japanese in by-passed islands of the southwest Pacific.

Mr. Forde stopped here en route to Washington and London with a government entourage. He and Herbert Evatt, minister of external affairs, are to be Australia's representatives to the world security conference here next month. Mr. Evatt stopped off at Los Angeles.

## Explosion Follows Crash in Channel Of Gas-Laden Ship

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—A gasoline and ammunition-laden ship collided recently with an anchored vessel in the English channel. As an 80-mile-an-hour gale buffeted the ships, gas and munitions on one ship exploded and burned and bullets ricocheted in all directions. Coastal towns shook from the blast. As townspeople watched, an unknown collier came alongside the "floating furnace" and burned the flying bullets and flaming falling debris, men of the unknown vessel saved 37 of the crew. Five were lost.



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## Pontiff Warns Road to Peace Is Not Easy

By GEORGE BRIA

VATICAN CITY, March 19.—(AP)—Pope Pius XII, addressing tens of thousands of Romans massed in the great St. Peter's Square, yesterday warned that the road to peace "still was covered with shadows which perhaps might conceal surprises and dangers."

The Pontiff declared that no matter how man strove to plan for a stable future, often he spied "a malignant spirit" across his path which disturbed, at least for a moment, the best of plans.

### WILD OVATION

The Pope was greeted by a wild ovation from the massed throng, including many Allied troops. Many women in the thickly-packed crowd fainted and some Vatican attaches said the gathering surpassed that which witnessed the Pope's coronation six years ago.

The Pontiff's appearance at the balcony overlooking the square was heralded by a papal gendarme who blew a silver trumpet. The Pope's address marked the conclusion of lenten missions held throughout Rome.

The Pontiff said "the reconciliation of peoples cannot have the guarantee of stability" if it is not accompanied liberally and with generosity. He declared that after the great conflict it would be difficult to believe that anyone would seek to use the peace organization for his own advantage.

"Such a man," he declared, "in fact might well appear for the moment as a benefactor of humanity. But history later would classify him among those who, in a great, grave and decisive hour, have deluded the hopes of the peoples."

### PROCESSION FIRST

The address was preceded by a procession led by Federico Cardinal



**APPOINTED.**—Lt. Col. William Roy Hodgson, Acting High Commissioner for Australia to Canada, who has been appointed Australian Minister to France. His headquarters will be in Paris.

Tedeschini bearing sacred relics. A huge cross hung on red tapestry was placed over the main door of St. Peter's. Before the Pope appeared the crowd chanted litanies. Hours before the ceremony, lines of parishioners filed from their churches throughout the city reciting the Rosary.

The diplomatic corps at the Holy See was well represented. Pride, ambition and greed were the roots of the present war, he added, appealing to those "seduced" by extreme nationalism, racism and theories of violence to embrace the ideals of a Christian fraternity.

The crowd cheered him when he denounced Italians who he said were using the country's present economic devastation for their own profit by raising prices. Italy's plight, he added, would be greatly aided if Italians strove to help each other fraternally.

He called for formation of a "pure, healthy youth" through education, sports and recreation to lift up the human family from its depths of great misfortune.

"We've lived with the bomb, eat-

## Strictly Vegetarian Designer of Great Bomb Is Just "Not the Type"

By EDWARD DENNEHY

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—Barnes Neville Wallis, 57-year-old designer of Britain's new 22,000-pound bomb, is a non-smoking vegetarian given to introspection and devoted to domestic amenities—precisely the sort of man you would pick as most unlikely to have anything to do with devising an artificial earthquake.

Britain honors her scientific as well as her military heroes, and Mr. Wallis has won plenty of admiration, but to his wife he is at dangerous to have around the house as a cellar full of TNT.

Members of his family disclosed after news of the huge bomb had staggered readers over the world that they had been extremely anxious for Wallis during the period of the bomb's tests.

### GOT ON NERVES

The whole trying business sometimes got on Wallis' nerves, too, his wife said in relating that a number of times he had cried out in his sleep, "bombs, bombs!" and jabbered a string of technical terms relating to explosives.

Mr. Wallis, one of the best aircraft designers in the business, has worked quietly for long periods, with RAF authorities in developing new ideas for smashing strategic targets in German territory. His name is linked with creation of some of the Allies' most valuable weapons.

He designed the 12,000-pound armor-piercing bomb which sank the Nazi battleship Tirpitz and the special bombs which burst the Ruhr Mohne dam in the daring raid led by the Wing Commander Guy Gibson, VCBM.

He has two sons and two daughters. They were almost more concerned over the new 11-ton bomb than the air ministry.

"We've lived with the bomb, eat-

## "Rejoices" Nazis Caught Napping

By EDWARD DENNEHY

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Lt. Cmdr. E. G. Boak of Victoria, B.C., commander of the Canadian destroyer Sioux, rejoiced that his ship and three British destroyers "caught the Nazis napping" in the rescue, reported last night, of 525 Norwegian patriots behind German lines in Norway.

With typical understatement, the quiet skipper said "the people the Sioux picked up certainly faced privations and it goes without saying they were very pleased to see us." He added that "they were rugged people, however, and it didn't take them long to regain their composure."

"We are delighted to have been able to take part in the operation which, like many others of a similar nature, caught the Nazis napping," he said.

In mentioning operations of "similar nature," Cmdr. Boak was referring to the fact that his ship, with HMCS Algonquin, had been in many combined RN-RCN Arctic actions. They are particularly busy on the gruelling Murmansk run.

en with the bomb and thought of very little else but the bomb," said Mrs. Wallis of the period since her husband first proposed it five years ago. "All the kids are bomb ex-

## Argentina's Grain Production Down

By E. L. ALMEN

BUENOS AIRES, March 19.—(AP)—Argentina is nearing the end of one of her most disappointing crop years in recent times, as a result of prolonged drought which has cut production of virtually all grains.

Excessive heat and lack of rain-fall in late November, December and January knocked out prospects for normal yields of cereal crops which form the bulk of Argentina's exports.

Drought also has brought a reduction in meat production since animals died for lack of water or pasturage.

Official figures on the reduction of meat supplies are not available, but private sources said the drought had brought a drop of about 27 per cent in the number of cattle available for slaughter at packing plants.

Latest estimates by the ministry of agriculture place wheat production for the 1944-45 crop year at 4,249,000 tons or 37.5 per cent less than in the preceding season.

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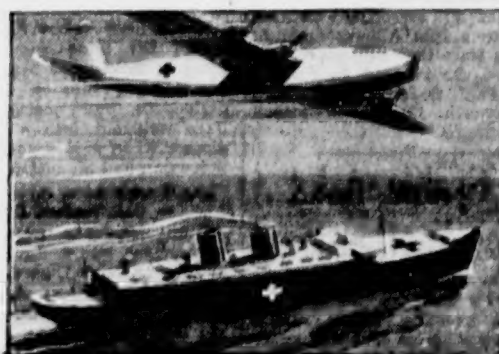
"We invaded Italy. After a while, as a casualty, I was taken back from the front lines by a volunteer Red Cross worker, while shells and bombs were bursting all around. On the field and in the hospitals, I saw Red Cross blood plasma saving the lives of a lot of our boys.

"I was hospitalized in Italy, and there was the Red Cross worker, attached to the hospital. I got cigarettes, a shaving outfit, toothpaste, brush and paper for letters home, among other things. That was a Godsend to me, because I went into the hospital with only the clothes I had on my back.



This is Signaller CLAUDE GERVAS, A 55283, whose Red Cross experience with the Red Cross are told in this advertisement. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gervais, 2418 Gage Avenue, St. Paul, Minn., U.S.A. He is 30 years of age, enlisted in Mar. 1941, was discharged in June, 1944, and is now back at his job at the Chrysler Corporation of Canada, Limited, Windsor, Ontario.

This statement of Signaller Gervais is typical of those 150,000 of the Navy, Army and Air Force who are now at work with the Red Cross.



"On leaving the hospital, I saw them evacuating the wounded in Red Cross planes and hospital ships, clearly marked with the Red Cross. They took them to North Africa, shuttling back and forth across the Mediterranean.

"After Italy surrendered, I talked with a number of men who had been in Italian prisoner-of-war camps. They told me that if it hadn't been for the Red Cross parcels, they would have starved to death.

"Citizens in conquered countries need Red Cross help too. They haven't any shoes or food, and I've seen little children running to Army shop pails to eat the garbage as fast as it was put out. I ALWAYS GAVE TO THE RED CROSS BEFORE AND NOW I'M GOING TO GIVE MORE!"

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# The Bulletin's SPORT SHOW by Hal Dean

Canucks may never come as close to defeat and still escape it, as was the case at the Arena here on Saturday night. Canadians surely had the Moose Jaw juniors hanging on the ropes in those closing minutes, and they just barely missed getting in the knockout blow.

The Edmonton juniors started out well last night, then faded badly, but their remarkable recovery in the final session supplied thrills for the big majority of 5,600 fans and chills for the remainder.

The Alberta champions have not been hitting on all cylinders in recent games. Their best exhibition since playoffs started was in the opener for the city title. They weren't clicking any too well against Calgary and they are a much better club than they appeared last Thursday and for most of the first two periods on Saturday.

## SLUGG LINE EFFECTIVE

The Jim Slugg-Eddie Thomas Campbell line was back in the old groove last night. Vince Bannion gave little help at centre to John Rypien and Cy Thomas, and his checking was a minus quantity. Coach Moher sent in young Doug Anderson for the third period and the change resulted in a big improvement.

Leo Sorsa, big 16-year old defenceman worked like a trojan, both on defence and in puck carrying. Jim Fleming turned in his best game to date. Cy Thomas was watched closely, but got in several nice rushes and always came back fast to help the defence. Cy hit the goal post once and narrowly missed scoring two or three other times.

Dick Butler went like a prairie fire early in the game, but all Canucks looked the same to the Canadians in the third period. Coach Roy Bentley claimed after the game that Dick is at his best on a newly flooded sheet and that he had difficulty controlling the puck as the ice surface became rougher in the latter stages. Frank Ashworth did better than in the first game and Clarence Marquess showed a nice turn of speed cutting in on the goal and he always played his position.

## CANUCKS WERE OUTSHOT

CANADIANS outshot the Canucks 35 to 24 Saturday and both had a total of 26 during the first game of the series. Moose Jaw's first shot Saturday came just five seconds before eight minutes had elapsed. Canadians having four on Ben Bentley during the same time—and it was a goal and a good one too.

Moose Jaw had a 10 to 7 edge on the shots in the first period, honors being even in the second with nine each, but Canadians



**ROUSING GAME**—Leo Sorsa, young Canadian defenceman, turned in one of his best efforts on the blue line of the season Saturday night in the western junior semi-final game and although Moose Jaw won out, he was constantly breaking up opposing attack.

blasted 19 at Bentley during that hectic third, while Murray was dealing with five.

Canucks had only three shots on the Edmonton citadel during the last 15 minutes and they came at practically five minute intervals. Canadians fired nine at Bentley between the 15th and 19th minutes of the final session.

Jack Abbott, president of the Saskatchewan AHA came from North Battleford to see the game. Presumably because it was St. Patrick's Day and as he was duly possessed of the required green with lapel ribbon to match, Coach Clarence Moher broke a time-honored custom at the game. He crossed the ice while going to and from the players' bench between periods, instead of going around—but it didn't change his luck.

The Moose Jaw team left Edmonton and the Canadians accompanied them on the early Sunday train by Coach Moher, Manager Ken Henry, Smythe Fleming who is director of hockey for the Canadian Athletic Club, equipment manager Lloyd McLaughlin, and others. This operator expects to see the balance of the series from the press box in the Moose Jaw Arena.

## Grierson Fires Three

# EAC's Trim Red Deer 9-1; Cop North Juvenile Crown

Edmonton Athletic Club won the northern Alberta juvenile hockey championship at the Arena on Saturday afternoon by scoring their second straight triumph over Red Deer 2-78th Battery, 9-1. The first game of the series, which was played in Red Deer last Tuesday night, ended up with the clubmen on the long end of an 8-6 score.

By virtue of their triumph the Capital City boys will travel south to meet the winners of that section for the provincial title, won last year by the Edmonton Maple Leafs.

Big scorer for the winners was Gordon Grierson with a trio, while Jack Muldrem, Clem Kerr, Elwood Shell, John Klymchuk, Norm Grant, and John Harvie each notched a single. Lone marksman for the losers was Armstrong.

Although they were only able to hit the hem on one occasion, the visiting pucksters were in on the locals' cage several times but lacked finish. Smart netminding by "Fuzzy" Stevenson, in the EAC goal, kept the Red Deer score down. Shadrick although beaten nine times, also turned in a neat performance, making some brilliant saves during the 60 minutes.

During the last frame tempers started to flare a little and a total of 13 penalties were handed out by the two officials, including a pair of majors—to Shadrick of the EAC and Armstrong of Red Deer—for fighting.

**LINEUPS**  
Red Deer: Shadrick, Martin, Krause, Myers, Goodacre, Pollock, Armstrong, Gaez, Carrill, Swanson, Wells.  
EAC: Stevenson, Kerr, Harvie, Muldrem, Grant, Klymchuk, Grierson, Grant, Milne, Singleton, Goltz, Shell, Grierson—Cecil Goldstick, John Colville.

**SUMMARY**  
First period: 1—EAC, Milne (Grierson) 10:30; 3—EAC, Klymchuk (Muldrem) 13:30; 3—Red Deer (Armstrong) 17:25. Penalties—Harvie, Martin.  
Second period: 4—EAC, Kerr (Grierson) 10:30; 3—EAC, Grierson (Grant) 15:15; 1—EAC, Muldrem (Klymchuk) 18:20. Penalties—Gaez.  
Third period: 4—EAC, Shell (Grant) 15:12; 9—EAC, Grierson (Kerr) 18:12; 1—EAC, Grant (Harvie) 18:30. Penalties—Jesse, Grant (3), Swanson, Krause, Pollock (3), Gaez, Muldrem, Harvie, Singleton (major), Armstrong (major).

**Regina Leading Sask. Loop Series**  
REGINA, Sask., March 19.—(CP)—Regina Tilters will go into the next heat of the two-game total points series to determine the Saskatchewan men's basketball championship with a comfortable lead after beating the Saskatoon "Y" Tilters 34-26 here Saturday night.

The Saskatoon team put up a stiff fight in the first half of the engagement and Regina was crowded in picking up a 23-17 lead. The second game will be played at Saskatoon March 30.

## After Being Outplayed Edmonton Juniors Make Great Comeback

# Canadians Drop Tough One to Canucks

## Rally Fails To Pay Off By Whisker

By HAL DEAN

MOOSE JAW Canucks were lucky to win from Canadians by a 6-4 margin in the second game of the Abbott Cup semi-finals at the Arena here on Saturday night. The attendance was 5,600, an even 100 more than saw Thursday's opener.

Trailing 5-1 as they entered the final stretch and apparently headed for defeat without doing very much about it, the Edmonton juniors bounced back with a story-book rally. Going all out, they completely outplayed the Saskatchewan champions, keeping them locked in behind their own blue line for most of a hectic 20 minutes.

One goal down with just under a minute to go, Coach Clarence Moher pulled goalie Don Murray and sent out right-winger John Rypien, with a facemask coming up near the Canuck blue line. The strategy backfired, for the puck went back to Natrass and the Moose Jaw defenceman lifted a high shot over the heads of the attacking Canadians and the puck slid into an open net to leave the final count 6-4.

Clarence Marquess, Canuck right-winger, scored two goals and assisted in two others, Dick Butler, Olly Olmstead and Roy Belbin divided three. Don Campbell counted a trio for Canadians and set up one goal for Jim Slugg, who also had a pair of assists.

Canadians outshot the Canucks 19 to 5 in the last period and 35 to 24 during the entire game.

Edmonton started off with a rush and carried the puck into Moose Jaw territory. Eddie Thomas testing out Ben Bentley with the first shot of the game.

Natrass was sent off for a boarding penalty, but before Canadians could get organized, Eddie Thomas was chased for interference. Frank Ashworth got the first chance for Canucks, but shot wild. Canadians were having the best of the play and both Bannion and Gadsby got in good drives at Bentley.

Toole tripped Rypien and went off and Canadians applied the pressure. Leo Sorsa got through but Bentley blocked and Bannion missed a wide open net. Sorsa was banished for tripping Ashworth and while he was off Clarence Marquess got the first goal of the game at 7:55, and it was the first shot on the Canadian net. Butler drew an assist, getting possession as a result of poor clearing by the defence.

Butler made the count 2-0 at 8:37 with a screened shot from the penalty line. Murray never having a chance to even see the puck. Ashworth and Marquess were in on the play.

Gadsby took a boarding penalty at 12 minutes. Moose Jaw was having a wide margin on the play. Murray made a spectacular block from Prystai. Eddie Thomas got a second penalty at 17 minutes, leaving the Canadians shorthanded again.

Murray made quick saves from Hauck and Olmstead as the second period opened. Natrass tripped Campbell and a half minute later, Eddie Thomas was chased off again, to once more nullify the Canadian advantage.

Cy Thomas had tough luck when the puck got away from him as he was being in. A scramble in front of the Moose Jaw net had the Canucks all tied up and it looked as if the puck couldn't possibly help going in. Jim Slugg missed from a few feet, a few seconds later.

Olmstead scored an easy goal at 9:53, a high shot from just inside the blue line which Murray evidently misjudged. Cy Thomas rushed but hit the post.

Belbin was left uncovered in front of the Canadian net and scored at 13:14, both Ashworth and Marquess drawing assists.

Don Campbell got Canadians' first goal following a face-off at the blue line at 13:21. Slugg made the pass, but the puck took a bad hop as Bentley went to make the save.

Belbin held Gadsby and went off. Canadians immediately went to work. Cy Thomas got through but Bentley made a grand save. There were pucks all around the Canuck goal, but none got in. Jim Fleming rushed the length of the ice but his pass was intercepted.

Prystai hit the Canadian goal post. Sorsa's work on defence and his rushing were outstanding.

Marquess went in on Murray who made his move too soon and Canucks went ahead 5-1 at 19:17. Olmstead was credited with an assist.

Canadians came with a rush in the third period and poured five shots at Bentley in three minutes. Campbell got his second goal at 4:30, Slugg making the pass and Campbell's second later went right in, drew Bentley out of position, and then missed the net entirely.

Butler used the knee on Rypien and while he was off, Slugg scored from Gadsby and Campbell at 15:23.

## Calgary Girls Defeated 36 - 16

# Pats Win Alberta Cage Title

EDMONTON'S Army and Navy Pats became the new senior girls' basketball champions of Alberta Saturday night when they outplayed Calgary Wittichens to score a 36-16 win at the Non-such drill hall and take the two-game, total-points final by a count of 89-38. They captured the series opener at Calgary 53-22.

Displaying smoother combination and traveling at a faster clip, the Edmonton team had little trouble in turning back the Calgary suitcases. The Pats now meet the Manitoba-Saskatchewan champions here, probably April 2 and 3.

The Army and Navy club was led to its impressive victory by Peggy Colville, fast-stepping forward who collected a total of 15 points to top the scoring list. She was taken off the floor by Coach Clare Hollingsworth in the fourth quarter, however, or her total might have been even greater.

The Pats displayed all-round ability Saturday night in trimming the south title-holders. They were strong on both the defensive and offensive and made the best of most free shots.

The Pats wasted no time in starting their scoring spurge and when the quarter-time whistle went were ahead 10-3. They continued to hold command in the other three frames and never were in serious difficulty. They led 18-8 at the half and were ahead 29-12 at the three-quarter mark.

Following is the box score:

Calgary Wittichens	FG	FT	PT	P	F	P
Whitley	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly	0	0	0	0	0	0
Godwin	1	0	0	2	0	0
Patton	0	0	1	3	0	0
Watson	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson	0	0	1	0	0	0
Walton	1	0	1	0	2	0
Christensen	2	1	2	3	0	0
Brook	3	1	4	2	7	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>

Army and Navy Pats	FG	FT	PT	P	F	P
Colville	5	5	6	15	2	3
Strachan	1	2	1	3	0	0
Scott	2	2	0	4	0	0
Dunn	0	6	8	1	6	0
Spence	0	0	3	4	0	0
Callaway	0	0	0	1	0	0
Limning	1	0	1	0	2	0
Skinner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robertson	1	0	1	0	0	0
Schwartz	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hembling	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>

Referee: Tom McClocklin and Ken Shaw.  
Scorer: J. P. Page, timer, Bruce Hembling.

## Alberta Fastball Meeting Is Set For Next Sunday

Paul Soderberg, secretary of the Edmonton and District Fastball Association, was appointed to represent the EDFA at the Alberta Fastball Association meeting to be held at Calgary next Sunday. At a special meeting called yesterday it was also decided to postpone the organization meeting of the EDFA until April 1 at the Corona hotel starting at 8:30 o'clock.

Final date for entries in the men's and girls' senior leagues was extended to April 1, and the deadline for junior teams was set for April 15. Team entries must be accompanied with names of at least 10 players. Entries will be received at the organization meeting or by Mary Miller, phone 24780.

At the AFA meeting next week, Soderberg will recommend that the junior age be boosted to 20 years on July 1. Even if the Alberta body doesn't accept this proposal, the local circuit, which is being re-formed this season, will allow players to play who are not over 20 on July 1.

All teams that entered provincial playdowns last season are entitled to a vote at the Alberta meeting and any team that will not be re-presented should send its vote to either Paul Soderberg or Clare Hollingsworth. Both will attend the meeting.

## Lee Grable Asks For Another Bout

Still burnt up over what he determined a "raw" decision he got in his last wrestling match against Ted Christy here a couple of weeks ago, Lee Grable has asked Promoter George Girvin for another crack at the "Hollywood Villain".

Girvin has Grable matched with Chief Thunderbird at the Empire theatre on March 31, and if he is good enough to cop a verdict from the Saanich Indian, the promoter will put him against Christy some time in April.

Meanwhile, "Badman" Christy has been matched against a newcomer to these parts by the name of Cliff Thiede, who is reported to be one of the toughest mat performers in the business.

Toole, Hauck, Prystai, Olmstead, Ryan, Edmonton—Murray, K. Anderson, Gadsby, Slugg, E. Thomas, Campbell, Bannion, Rypien, C. Thomas, Sorsa, Fleming, D. Anderson.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period: 1—Moose Jaw, Marquess (Butler) 7:55; 2—Moose Jaw, Butler (Ashworth); Marquess (Campbell) 13:21; 3—Moose Jaw, Marquess (Olmstead) 19:17. Penalties—Natrass, E. Thomas 3; Toole, Sorsa, Gadsby.  
Second Period: 3—Moose Jaw, Olmstead (Ashworth); Marquess (Butler) 4:30; 3—Canadians, Slugg (Gadsby) 4:30; 3—Canadians, Slugg (Campbell) 15:23; 3—Canadians, Campbell 18:02; 10—Moose Jaw, Natrass, 19:28. Penalties—Butler.



**TRIUMPHAL BUT NO PLACE TO GO**—At Hialeah, where he is in light training for the day War Mobilization Director Byrnes lifts ban on racing, is Triumphal, with Chuck Parke in saddle. Fred Hooper refused \$125,000 for this 2-year-old as a yearling.

## Canadiens Cop Two More

# Richard Scores 50th Goal In Windup of NHL Schedule

BOSTON, March 19.—(CP)—Montreal Canadiens set off a three-goal scoring burst late in the final period to gain their 10th straight win over Boston Bruins, 4-2 in the windup of the regular National Hockey League season last night before a 12,000 crowd at the Boston Garden.

Right winger Maurice Richard started the Montreal victory surge with his 50th goal of the campaign.

The visitors did not appear to bear down hard until the 16th minute of the final when Jack McGill batted in Pat Egan's long forward pass to give the home forces a 2-1 lead.

During the second period, Bill Cowley caged Herb Cain's rebound and Dutch Hiller scored for Montreal with Glen Harmon assisting.

Richard snatched victory from the Bruins by whacking in Elmer Lach's passout to boost his 1944-45 total to an even half-hundred goals. Richard then set up the winning goal for Ted Blake and, with a minute to go, Lach put the season's windup beyond all doubt.

**LINEUPS**  
Montreal: Duhon, Bouchard, Lamoureux, Lach, Richard, Blake, Sube, O'Connor, Hiller, Gaudreault, Harmon, R. Gifford, Gelliffe, Chamberlain.

Boston: Bibeault, Lamoureux, Henderson, Cowley, Cain, Thomas, Sube, Rozini, Gaudreault, Gladu, Egan, Shewchuk, McGill, Brennan, M. Filion, Bennett, goalie.

Referee—George Gavel, Linesmen—Ag Smith and Bill Cleary.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period: Scoring—none. Penalties—Gaudreault, Blake.  
Second Period: 1—Boston, Cain (Cowley) 5:12; 2—Montreal, Hiller (Harmon) 8:24. Penalties—Rozini, Henderson.

Third Period: 3—Boston, McGill (Egan, Brennan) 15:31; 4—Montreal, Richard (Lach) 17:43; 5—Montreal, Blake (Richard) 18:42; 6—Montreal, Lach (unassisted) 19:00. Penalties—none.

**FILION GIVES MONTREAL 4-3 TRIUMPH OVER HAWKS**  
MONTREAL, March 19.—(CP)—Montreal Canadiens defeated Chicago Black Hawks 4-3 in a National Hockey League game here Saturday night.

It was little Bobby Filion who scored the tying and winning goals in little more than a minute mid-way through the third period. On both goals, he shot from well out into a maze of players when rookie goalie Doug Stevenson had his vision blocked.

The Hawks were three goals up after the first period. Clint Smith and Bill Moskienko were the big guns for the losers. Smith got the first one unassisted, gave Moskienko the pass for the second, and took Moskienko's pass for the third.

In the middle period, Toe Blake managed to get one of the goals back for Canadiens when he took Leo Lamoureux's pass to beat Stevenson, up from New York Rovers.

Butch Bouchard sank a hard shot in the third. Then Filion came along with his twin counters.

**LINEUPS**  
Chicago: Stevenson, Field, Simon, Smith, Moskienko, Grosso, Sube, Cooper, McDonald, Brayshaw, Horeck, Mitchell, Ramsey, Harts, Harris.  
Montreal: Duhon, Lamoureux, Bouchard, Lach, Richard, Blake, Sube, Harmon, Filion, O'Connor, Gauthier, Hiller, Chamberlain, Gelliffe, Tremblay.

Referee—Clancy Linesmen—Gravel and Mullins.

NATIONAL LEAGUE (Final Standings)	W	L	T	P	Pts
Canadiens	26	8	4	228	121
Detroit	21	14	5	218	101
Toronto	24	22	4	185	101
Boston	14	20	4	179	73
Chicago	13	30	10	141	58
Rangers	11	30	10	134	52

# BULLETIN

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## Annual Event Finishes

# Fisher Tops "B" Singles In Five-Pin Tournament

The annual tournament of the Edmonton Five Pin Bowling Association, held during the past week at the Recreation Alleys, wound up on Saturday with one new record being broken. A. Fisher of Calgary turned the trick when he bested the "B" singles high with a count of 731.

A. Groves formerly was high in the "B" event, his score being 706, 25 under Fisher's total rolled on Saturday.

Some other good scores were posted on the long draw, but all fell short of the former high. The "A" teams high, held by Commandos, was threatened the most seriously when the Runabouts came within 50 pins of tying the record. The Runabouts rolled a total count of 3,701.

One of the best records of the whole tournament was bowled by the National Home Furnishers mixed team. They rolled a count of 3,532 last Monday and it held up throughout the week.

Grand aggregate honors went to Vi Fleming, who won the "A" event with a total of 2442 and Herb Taylor, who captured the "B" event with 1911 pins.

**LIST OF ENTRIES**  
The following is a list of the number of entries in each event:  
"A" event—teams 63, doubles 141, singles 138.  
"B" event—teams 61, doubles 74, singles 93.  
Special events—mixed teams 31, doubles 50, ladies' booster teams 20.

## THE LEADERS

The following is an unofficial list of the winners in each event:  
"A" Singles: Lary Cameron, 880; Vi Fleming, 850; Lockhart, (Cal.) 820; John, (Cal.) 865; Larabee, (Cal.) 862; G. Coward, 854. "A" doubles: Ralph Jones-Bob English, 1718; Bill McIntyre-Jingy Cameron, 1697; Joe and Jack McCallum, 1598; Conner-Moseley, 1570; Mrs. Luff-W. Broome, Calgary, 1570; G. Coward-J. Smith, 1551.  
"A" teams: Commandos, 3751; Musketeers, 3702; Runabouts, 3666; Calgary, 3561; G. Coward-J. Smith, 3551.  
"B" singles: A. Fisher, Calgary, 731; A. Groves, 706; Hinkel, 688; W. McCallum, 686; J. Horder, 686; Burfield, 682. "B" doubles: Duncan, 1341; Goodrich-Dembroski, 1288; Strudwick-Bradley, 1244; McLeland-Watt, 1283; Carr-Pare, Calgary, 1261; Cameron-Taylor, 1257. "B" teams: Turks, 3209; Macs, 3088; Contributors, 3055.  
Mixed doubles: M. Sangster-E. Beckwith, 1548; Murphy-Bruce, 1519; Steele-Baker, 1461; Graham-Hall, 1452.  
Mixed teams: National Home, 3532; Connets, 3463; Hoot Owls, 3458.  
Mixed singles: Simultaneous, 3458; 2500; RCAF-WDA, 2478; Education "A", 2328.

**Grand Aggregate winners:** "A" events, Miss Vi Fleming, 2442; "B" events, Herb Taylor, 1911.

## SATURDAY RESULTS

**SINGLES**  
"A" Singles—Ken 724; J. McMeekin 777; P. McLean 461; K. Head 757; O. Pake 437; J. Johnston 666; Wilkinson 753; Wearmark 640; S. Donly 664; D. Donly 661; R. L. Smith 809; W. Broome 790; Casson 766; Peatt 614; Longair 587; Conner 765; Speer 690; Mosley 712.

**THE SHOT IN THE ARM, IF WE ARE TO BELIEVE CLANCY** (Vancouver News-Herald) Lorange, will be the reintroduction of Indians to their native game, Bagawatay as played by the Anglo-Saxon "foreigners" is all right, heap big chief Andrew Paul tells Clancy, but the Indian was born with a lacrosse stick in his hand.

"Boxia, like America," murmurs Mr. Paul, "should be given back to the Indians."

If the B.C. promoter can garner up an all-Indian squad and attempt to scalp the Salmonbellies, it should make for a banner season. But then there's the so-called boot in the trousers to contend with.

It seems there are interests across the line in Seattle that could like to educate the "Yankee dollar" to swing away from the west coast. With apologies to Tin Pan Alley and start the wickets spinning on Sunday nights at lacrosse matches.

Of course, that will mean that due to the manpower shortage across the border, Canadian "labor" would be used. That's the rub.

If the Canuck hoxia boys play on the Sabbath in the U.S. there will follow complaints of injuries, fatigue from travel, and such like, all of which will be detrimental to the Coast loop, or so they say.

The lure of Big Chief Mazuma has its drawbacks.

**ROOM TO FOLLOW**  
From Montreal there comes talk that the Forum interests are pricking up their ears at the increasing attendance figures for senior basketball. The recent Sir George Williams College-Combines senior title series, drew more than 6,000 persons to the McGill University gym. The university floor can't hold any more, though others were interested in attending.

For the past decade the court game was glad to draw 200 persons for a championship game, but it looks as though interest is rising in the Canadian metropolis. A lot of credit for the popularity is being given to the college cagers who won the provincial title at the end of their second year in senior company.

## Ramblers Leading Girls' Cage Series

SASKATOON, Sask., March 19.—(CP)—Saskatoon Ramblers gained a 14 point lead over Moose Jaw Westons Dutch Maids here Saturday night in the first game of the two-game total point play-off series for the senior girls' basketball championship of Saskatchewan. The score was 36-22 for the northern team.

Second game will be played in Moose Jaw next Saturday night.



# Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

**NEW YORK, March 19.**—Another "Song of Norway": It is uncertain whether the bad news has penetrated yet to the little Mountain town of Lokken Verk in German-held Norway—Whether it has reached mother Emma Tokle. But when it does, there will be much weeping among widow Tokle and her poor neighbors at the foot of a favorite hill where little Torger Tokle used to slide on staves.

The U.S. War Department announced Friday that T-Sgt. Torger Tokle had been killed in action in Italy on March 3. He was struck by exploding shell fragments while leading his infantry platoon in an attack against the Germans in the high Apennine mountains. He would have been 26 on March 7.

The village of Lokken Verk will mourn Sergeant Tokle's death, because the amiable, sandy-haired 18-year-old became the most famous man in the history of the Fjell (mountain) country. He became one of the greatest ski jumpers of all time—perhaps the greatest. In 1938—before the Germans came—Torger went to the United States, became a citizen and on March 1, 1942, established a new north American jumping record of 280 feet—almost the length of a football field.

**WANTED TO FIGHT**  
If Tokle could have had his way this record never would have been made. He wanted to fight the Germans for his adopted land and for his native land. No quieser was he.

Despite his almost tearful protests, he was rejected for army service in January, 1942, because of a defect in his teeth—resulting from a minor ski mishap. This rejection did not stop him. Between ski meets, he worked overtime as a carpenter in Brooklyn and earned enough money to have his teeth fixed.

One of the happiest days of his life was October 1, 1942. On that day he finally passed his physical examination at Governors Island, N.Y., and was inducted into the army. Eager Torger waived the usual 14-day furlough granted inductees, and left New York immediately to join a mountain infantry regiment at Fort Lewis, Wash. He wanted action.

**STARTED AT AGE THREE**  
The dispatches do not say whether Torger was on skis when killed. Unquestionably he would have preferred it that way, because he loved the long, grooved hickories that took him soaring through the air. It seemed that he was made for skis from the time his father first put him on barrel staves, at the age of three.

In Lokken Verk, at six he was competing on pine skis on 40-meter hills; at eight, he was out jumping all youngsters on his area on 60-inch hickories. Then he began knocking off prizes with regularity, until he came to the United States at 19.

In four winters of competition in the United States, before joining the ski troops, he cracked 24 hill records while winning 42 of 48 tournaments. He was a daring performer, who featured a terrific spring from the jumping platform. Because he jumped so hard and so far, he usually kept his skis wider apart than most jumpers in order to ease his landing. Others had better form, but none had his power and daring.

The world of sports joins the village of Lokken Verk in mourning Tokle's death; but all are proud of the manner in which he died, leading an attack against the Germans—after having his teeth fixed so that he could fight them. A true son of Norway and an American.

## Junior Royals Win In Quebec

**MONTREAL, March 19.**—(CP)—Junior Royals yesterday won the right to represent Quebec in the Memorial Cup playoffs after they defeated Junior Canadiens 6-0 in the fourth game of their best-of-seven series which they won 4-0.



GIRLS—"I'm certain you've mixed the presents, mother. Charles meant these books and house slippers for YOU!"

WHAT WORD CONTAINS  
5 DOUBLE LETTERS  
IN SUCCESSION?  
Answer  
Tomorrow

**BOB BOBO**  
HAD ONLY 2 LETTERS  
IN HIS NAME  
Mean, So.



POSS OF THE "GUN MOLL"  
BOMB CAPTURED LAD A LIFE OF CRIME FOR 10 YEARS  
AND WAS BURNED UPON DOWN IN ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCHYARD  
JIMMY ANDREW BURNED HERE YESTERDAY



**STAVROS GRAMELIS**  
West Haven, Conn.  
CAN HOLD A HALF DOLLAR  
BETWEEN HIS EYEBROWS



## Large Crowds See Semi-Final Soccer Matches

By ALLAN NICKLESON

**LONDON, March 19.**—(CP)—Eighty-five thousand football followers braved the threat of German V bombs to jam two London stadiums Saturday to watch Chelsea and Millwall win league south cup semi-final matches and the right to meet in the cup match at Wembley Stadium April 7.

A ground record for the season was set at Tottenham Park where the fast-breaking Chelsea team lived up to expectations before more than 35,000 and edged West Ham United 2-1. Nearly 50,000 turned out at Stamford Bridge where Millwall created an upset by beating Arsenal 1-0.

Meanwhile, a crowd estimated at 25,000 watched England upset calculations by trouncing Scotland 16 points to 5 in an international rugby match at Murrayfield. It was Murrayfield's biggest wartime crowd. England scored two goals and two tries against one goal by Scotland.

## Edmonton Takes Sea Cadet Title

Edmonton Sea Cadets, coached by Vic Driver, former outstanding city basketball player, captured the Alberta Sea Cadet cage crown Saturday night when they downed Calgary Sea Cadets 27-14 to take the total point playoff.

Steve Mendryk led the local crew to victory with 12 points while George Kermack was top point-getter for Calgary with 14. The Edmonton "junior sailors" took the lead in the first quarter when they out-scored the visitors 9-4, and never yielded it. They were ahead 11-8 at the half and 21-12 at three-quarter time.

**LINEUPS**  
Calgary: Jim Allan (4), George Kermack (6), Bob Heberton, Joe Salis (2), Bob Hunt, Joe Sheppard, Bob Campbell, Bill Butcher (2), Reg. Tate, Doug Palmer, Total 14.  
Edmonton: Steve Mendryk (12), Alley Laskowski (3), Trevie Miller, Tom Mayson (2), Stan Vanderburg, Alex Rich (4), Ken Smith, Gordon Pearce (6), Gordon Speare, Total 27.

## Pargeter Scores Five For Bisons

**BUFFALO, N.Y., March 19.**—(AP)—George Pargeter set a Memorial Auditorium record with five goals last night as Buffalo Bisons ended their regular American Hockey League campaign with a 10-5 triumph over St. Louis Flyers before 6,638 spectators.

Yves Nadon, in goal for Buffalo, in all probability will stay there through the playoffs. Bill Fraser, net-minder of late, announced he is through with hockey here, following a dispute with manager Eddie Shore about giving away his stick after games. Mundrick got two goals for Bisons. The others were scored by Bootham, Halderson and Emerton. St. Louis marksmen were MacIntosh, Hergert, Lynn, C. Smith and Giroux.

## Leswick Nets Four As Capitals Win

**INDIANAPOLIS, March 19.**—(AP)—Pete Leswick scored four goals last night to give Indianapolis an 8-4 victory over Cleveland Barons and assure the Capitals the right to compete in the American Hockey League playoffs. Indianapolis will meet Hershey here Tuesday night for their first game of a best four-out-of-seven series.

## Believe It Or Not

Rangers Edge Out Leafs 6-5

## Hawks Triumph at Detroit To Break Five-Year Jinx

**DETROIT, March 19.**—(AP)—Chicago Black Hawks, scoring two goals in the last 10 minutes, defeated Detroit Red Wings, 5-3, before 8,537 spectators here last night for the first victory in a regular season game here in five years.

It was the season's finale and gave the Hawks three victories in 10 meetings with the second-place Red Wings who have won seven.

Not since March 15, 1940, had Chicago bested Detroit in a regular season game here. Bill Mosienko counted two goals and assisted on counters by Clint Smith and Pete Horeck, to lead the Hawks to victory. Smith assisted on both Mosienko's goals.

**LINEUPS**  
Chicago: Stevenson, Simon, Field, Smith, Mosienko, Grosso, Suba—March, Cooper, Harris, Brayshaw, Horeck, McDonald, Mitchell.  
Detroit: Lumley, Seibert, Hollett, Armstrong, E. Bruneteau, McAtee, Suba—Jackson, Lacombe, Howe, M. Bruneteau, Wochy, Carveth, Quackenbush, Bukovich.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period: 1—Chicago, Mosienko (Smith) 13:04; 2—Detroit, Carveth (Seibert) 16:39. Penalties—none.  
Second Period: 3—Chicago, Mosienko (Smith) 2:12; 4—Chicago, Smith (Mosienko) 8:31; 5—Detroit, E. Bruneteau (Quackenbush, Carveth) 11:17. Penalties—1—Lacombe (major), Cooper (major), Simon, Hollett.  
Third Period: 6—Detroit, Rowe (M. Bruneteau) 8:17; 7—Chicago, March (McDonald) 11:21; 8—Chicago, Horeck (Mosienko) 18:37. Penalty—Jackson.

## Regina Captures Five-Pin Event

**CALGARY, March 19.**—(CP)—Regina trundlers won the annual commercial travellers telegraphic five-pin bowling tournament for the second straight year Saturday with a total of 3,586, 27 better than Moose Jaw and 77 ahead of the third-place Calgary team.

Regina's winning total was 66 points above their 3,520 mark of 1944. Fourth place went to Saskatoon with 3,433 followed by North Bay 3,387; Lethbridge 3,264; Prince Albert 3,165; Toronto 2,935; Winnipeg 2,867; Yorkton 2,749 and Edmonton 2,500.

## Montreal Cagers Capture Opener

**OTTAWA, March 19.**—(CP)—Scoring 12 of a possible 19 free shots, Montreal Georgians shaded Ottawa Senators 42-40 here Saturday night in the first of a two-game, total point series, the first round of the Canadian senior basketball play-downs.

Thus Georgians will carry a two-point edge into the second game to be played at Montreal next Saturday night.

league's outstanding rookie, had 25 Detroit shots to handle. Carveth's game-winning goal came in the last four minutes of play.

**LINEUPS**  
Detroit: Lumley, Seibert, Hollett, Armstrong, E. Bruneteau, McAtee, Suba—H. Jackson, Quackenbush, Howe, Lacombe, M. Bruneteau, Carveth, McAtee, Wochy.  
Toronto: McCool, Stanowski, Hamilton, Kennedy, Hill, Davidson, Suba—Pratt, Morris, Bodnar, Carr, Schirmer, Metz, McCree, A. Jackson.  
Rangers: Bill Chadwick, Lineamen Jim Prunetti, Eddie Neptum.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period: 1—Detroit, Wochy (Hollett) 16:34; 2—Toronto, Pratt 12:15. Penalties—Kennedy, Hollett.  
Second Period: 3—Detroit, Hollett (Armstrong) 3:32; 4—Toronto, Metz (McCree, A. Jackson) 16:20. Penalties—Lundby, Hill (2).  
Third Period: 5—Detroit, Lacombe (M. Bruneteau) 2:09; 6—Toronto, Davidson (Hamilton, Stanowski) 12:35; 7—Detroit, Carveth (Wochy) 18:32. Penalties—none.

## CARVETH IS HERO IN WING'S VICTORY

**TORONTO, March 19.**—(CP)—Sensational goaltending by young Harry Lumley coupled with a timely goal by forward Joe Carveth gave Detroit Red Wings a 4-3 National Hockey League victory over Toronto Maple Leafs Saturday night before 13,049 fans.

Lumley handled 32 shots. Goalie Frank McCool of the Leafs who was playing his first game since he won the Calder Trophy as the

## Gremlins Halt Invaders

## Ladd Field Cagers Stopped After Taking 29 Straight

One of the most remarkable basketball records enjoyed by a team went by the boards Saturday afternoon when Ladd Field Squadron "E" Invaders from Alaska suffered their first defeat of the season. After winning 29 straight games and becoming champions of the U.S. forces in this area, the flashy hoopers bowed to the powerful Patricia Bay RCAF Gremlins 39-35 at the Air Base gym.

It was a struggle all the way for both clubs and the final outcome was in doubt until the final whistle. Both teams tired badly going down the stretch, having played two games each in three nights previous, but the Gremlins, after being behind during the first half, put on a strong finish to win out.

The game was only an exhibition, but it cost the Invaders a chance on bettering their outstanding showing. The Gremlins now are the only unbeaten team that was host for the U.S. invasion tournament.

Fast moving, accurate shooting Norm Baker again spearheaded the Pat Bay attack, dropping in 22 points. Bob Lewis and Fred Keller sparked the Ladd Field drive with 11 points each.

Fairbanks was ahead 9-6 at quarter time and 22-16 at the half, but the west coast airmen came through in grand style in the third frame and went ahead 30-29. It was a real battle in the final canto, but the Canadians, although not outplaying the boys from north of the Northwest Territories, made the most of their opportunities to win out.

**LINEUPS**  
Pat Bay: R. Baker (2), Stout (8), N. Baker (12), Philon, McLaughlin, Pay (8), Lee (1), McKeachin, Total 36.  
Ladd Field: Warner (6), Gross, Carroll, Keller (11), Tuttle, Hamilton (3), Paskvan, Lewis (11), Brozley, D'Auau (2), Redman (2), Total 35.  
Officials: Jack Reimer and Ray Arjo.

## Report British Agents Wearing Women's Clothes

**ON THE SWISS-GERMAN FRONTIER, March 19.**—(Reuters)—A rumor that British agents in women's clothing are being parachuted almost every night from planes flying over south Germany is spreading through the region between Stuttgart and Lake Constance. People in this district are saying that special cryptic messages broadcast by the BBC are intended for these agents.

The rumor is adding to the chaos caused by smashed railway communications, continuous strafing food shortages and hordes of refugees fleeing before the Russian advance or from Allied air raids.

## AFFECTS OCEAN'S SALTINESS

South America's Amazon river discharges so much water that the saltiness of the ocean is weakened up to a distance of 150 miles from the coast of Brazil.

## Calgary Mustangs Capture Western RCAF Puck Title

**REGINA, March 19.**—(CP)—Calgary Mustangs won the western Canada RCAF hockey championship here Saturday night despite dropping a 3-4 decision to Winnipeg Bombers in the second game of the two-game total goal series. The Alberta players took the opener 8-3 and the series 12-10.

The Mustangs started off well, going into the lead in the first two minutes of play on a goal by P.O. R. Brownridge. After watching their opponents bag two quick goals in little more than a minute late in the period, the Mustangs rallied with three counters in the second period, pushed home by LAC. C. Hunt, Cpl. D. French and Flt-Sgt. Mitch Pechel.

The Bombers came back with all their power in the last 20 minutes and LAC. Hermi Grubn, P.O. Garth Boesch and Cpl. Harry Watson piled in counters, boosting the two goals scored earlier by LAC. Rick Nicolson and P.O. Don Gallinger.

**LINEUPS**  
Calgary: Badcock, Dertell, McIntyre, Hunter, Brownridge, Wilder, Suba—Maher, French, Hunt, Mitch Pechel, Mory, Pechel, Allen, Michaluk.  
Winnipeg: Hardy, Boesch, Craig, Grubn, Tennant, Watson, Rube-Gallinger, Morrison, Kingston, Maki.  
Officials: Diamond and Fuller, both of Regina.

## Summary

First period: 1. Calgary, Brownridge (Hunter) 1:22; 2. Winnipeg, Gallinger (Morrison) 18:31; 3. Winnipeg, Gallinger (Morrison) 17:44.  
Second period: 4. Calgary, Hunt (McIntyre) 4:17; 5. Calgary, French (Dertell) 16:12; 6. Calgary, Mitch Pechel (Allen) 17:09. Penalties—Boesch.  
Third period: 7. Winnipeg, Grubn (Watson, Gallinger) 34; 8. Winnipeg, Boesch, 11:18; 9. Winnipeg, Watson (Boesch) 17:16. Penalties—Michaluk, McIntyre (2), Grubn.

## Olympics 11-4

**BOSTON, March 19.**—(AP)—Boston Olympics virtually clinched the United States Amateur Hockey Association championship as they won their eighth straight game by overwhelming the Washington Lions, 14-4, yesterday before a 6,836 crowd at Boston Garden.

## CHANGED COLOR

Fumes from a charcoal burner, are blamed for the strange metamorphosis of Evelina Signorelli, of Biella, Italy, from a brunette when she went to bed at night to a blonde when she awoke.

REGISTRATION FORMS WILL BE MAILED SHORTLY FOR

## FAMILY ALLOWANCES

which will be paid for  
EVERY ELIGIBLE CHILD UNDER 16  
in Canada

The payment of these allowances to parents or other persons who are maintaining children will commence in July, 1945, and the registration of children for this purpose is to begin immediately.



To help provide better  
FOOD

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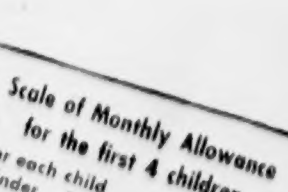
To aid parents in the raising of their children, the Family Allowances Act was passed at the last session of Parliament. Under the Family Allowances Act each eligible family in Canada will receive a monthly cheque beginning July, 1945. These monthly payments are to help provide children with medical, dental and nursing services, more nourishing food, adequate clothing and shelter, and to give parents of Canada a chance to equalize the opportunities for their children.

**WHEN PAID?** Family Allowance cheques will be mailed out to parents each month beginning July, 1945.

**TO WHOM PAID?** Allowances will be paid to the parents, or to any person who maintains a child.

**INCOME TAX:** No one will benefit from both Family Allowances and a full income tax deduction for their children. Parents have the choice of applying for their Family Allowances or not claiming the allowance and claiming the full deduction for their children under Income Tax. If they claim the Family Allowance, the amount of deduction from tax allowed for children under the Income Tax Act will be reduced by the amount of any Family Allowance received.

Anyone who is uncertain whether or not he or she will benefit from Family Allowances more than from Tax Deduction should register for the Family Allowance and in this way be on the safe side. Incomes may change during the course of a year.



**PARENTS**  
YOU ARE HELPING YOUR CHILDREN  
WHEN YOU REGISTER FOR  
**FAMILY ALLOWANCES**

Scale of Monthly Allowance for the first 4 children	
For each child	
Under 6	
From 6-10	\$5.00
From 10-13	6.00
From 13-16	7.00
From 16-18	8.00

Where there are more than four children under 16 in the family, the monthly allowance for each child after the fourth will be reduced.

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## Morris Biderman Will Speak Here

National general secretary of the United Jewish People's Order, Morris Biderman, will be an Edmonton speaker Wednesday evening at the Talmud Torah hall. Mr. Biderman, considered an authority on political affairs, will speak on the subject, "The Yalta Conference and the Future of the Jews."

Mr. Biderman is an executive member of the Canadian Jewish Congress, and one of the leading figures in the society division of the congress. At the sixth plenary session he was elected a member of the Dominion Council of the Congress, and has contributed to a number of Jewish periodicals. He is at present on a national tour in the interests of the United Jewish People's Order, a fraternal society with branches throughout the Dominion. While primarily a benefit organization which supplies medical, hospital and sick benefits in times of need, it is, in substance, one of the largest Jewish mass organizations in Canada. It fulfills a cultural need through its folk choirs, orchestras, dramatic circles and Jewish schools. Its fraternalism provides a sphere for happiness and enjoyment.

He will discuss the national convention of the United Jewish People's Order, which takes place in Toronto April 27 to 29. All branches of the order will be represented at the convention by delegates elected in March.

## "U" Musical Club Holds Final Meet

The final meeting of the Musical Club of the University of Alberta was held Sunday evening in Convocation hall. The three artists who took part in the program were introduced by Jack Osborne, retiring president of the club.

Professor L. H. Nichols opened the program by playing Grand Choeur by Giroult; Berceuse by Kinder and Proude, Fuge and Variation by Franck; Betty Hagen, violinist played Andante from Symphony, Espagnole by Lalo, and "Dancing Doll" by Poldini, arranged by Kreisler. Her accompanist was Lucy Gainer.

Audrey Wilson, pianist, played Prelude in B minor by Bach, and Wedding Day at Troldhaugen by Grieg. In her second appearance on the program, Miss Hagen played Zappatade by Sarasate, and Ave Maria by Schubert-Wilhelm. Miss Wilson returned to play Rhapsody Opus 79 in G minor by Brahms. Professor Nichols concluded the program by playing the final movement of the Third Sonata by Borowsky.

The president of the Musical club for the next year will be Miss Kay Sheehy. Secretary will be Miss Lois Macpherson.

## Loaded Truck, Car Stolen at Week-End

Search was being conducted Monday by city police for two motor vehicles stolen over the week-end. One, a heavy truck, owned by Nick Kanuga, 9644 102A avenue, taken from that address between Saturday night or Sunday morning, contained about 8,000 feet of lumber. The other, an auto owned by George Drostahy, 9722 106 street, was taken from 98 street and 107 avenue, early Sunday. A 1938 coach, it is painted green and bears license No. 80-172.

## Disrupts Service

A burnt out power line leading from the power plant to the street railway overhead wires at 102 street and Jasper avenue caused a street car to be up for approximately 60 minutes about noon on Sunday. Temporary bus services to areas affected by the tie-up were put into operation. Thomas Ferrier, street railway superintendent, stated Monday.



YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW—"Work up to a four star general—then you're stuck—no chance for promotion!"

## City's \$123,825 For Red Cross Increases Fund

Swelled by substantial donations from local business firms, provincial Red Cross branches and individual contributors, the Northern Alberta Red Cross campaign during the week-end had increased the total to \$123,825. L. V. Cairns, K.C., executive member of the committee, announced Monday.

The provincial total now stands at \$285,000, or 51 per cent of its \$400,000 objective. The national Red Cross appeal is within 37 per cent of its objective, \$10,000,000, with Canada-wide collections of \$8,550,287 acknowledged.

In Edmonton \$95,043 has been received to date. From district points, \$30,781 was contributed. The results of Saturday's prisoner-of-war parcel "sales" were not completely tallied Monday but officials believed the supplementary drive had been successful.

Mrs. Mary Conquest, the "Red Cross lady" who is known throughout the province, manned a station at the Hudson's Bay Company store, and reported a busy day.

## SPENT POCKET MONEY

"We had a large number of boys and girls who had saved their pocket money to donate to the Red Cross," Mrs. Conquest explained. "In addition, there was one price of \$30 paid for a parcel, and another for \$35. I enjoyed the day very much. There were so many people anxious to buy a parcel for Canadian war prisoners." Mrs. Conquest was presented with a corsage of roses by the "Bay," and assisted in a number of ways during her "hour of duty."

## AMONG DONATIONS

Among donations received by the Red Cross Monday, was \$1,474 from employees of the D. R. Fraser Lumber Company; \$1,500 from Taylor and Pearson, Ltd., Taylor and Pearson Broadcasting Company, Ltd., and the staffs of the firms; \$2,000 from C. Woodward Ltd., and \$2,115 from the staff of the Alberta Government Telephone.

Donations of \$100 or more were received from Mrs. John Gillespie, Chisholm Saw Mills, Western Construction and Lumber Co., Swanson Lumber Company, Lovell Service Station, Odeon, Rialto, Ltd., Milner, Steer and Company, Christie, Grants, Transit hotel, Marshall Wells Alberta Company and employees, Thompson and Dynes, Ltd., and staff, Woodland Dairy, Ltd., Crown Paving Company, Canada Dry Ginger Ale Company and staff, Canadian Bedding Company and staff, Great West Saddlery Company, staff of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

From the Students' Union at Westglen high school came \$15, in addition to other donations from younger Edmonton citizens. Largest donations from Red Cross branches came from Bentley, \$1,000; Daysland, \$850; Chauvin, \$1,009; and Pouce Coupe \$532. Contributions exceeding \$100 were received from Ashmont, Luscar, New Norway, Bashaw, Sylvan Lake, Westlawn and Galahad.

The Citizens Rehabilitation Council offices are now located in the Redwood Building (formerly Bechtel-Price-Callaghan) at 113 street and Jasper avenue, it was announced Monday. The office number is Room 111, telephone 28739.

## A-R-O-U-N-D THE TOWN

L. Taylor, Winnipeg, tie and timber agent, Canadian National Railways, is a business visitor in Edmonton. He is registered at the Macdonald hotel.

The following men of Edmonton recently enlisted in the Canadian Army (Active): S. A. Smith, N. R. Griggs, J. L. Paulhus, W. T. Egan, H. Pelech, D. S. Duncan, W. R. Nicoll, R. Newman, J. C. Beaudoin, A. J. Brass, M. W. Hopkins, R. H. Maxwell, D. T. Willett, D. Adshad, N. P. Ochotta.

The following girls recently enlisted in the CWAC: Winnifred G. Brown, Cassin, Eileen L. Taylor, High River; Hertha Au, Calgary; Margaret C. Parry, Taber; Marie B. Begunier, Edmonton; Elaine V. Anderson, Bowness; Phyllis I. Benson, Vilna; Catherine J. LaRoque, Calgary; Marie M. Goggie, Edmonton; Marie A. L. S. Rochelleau, Edmonton; Lucille J. Sanderson, Consort; Elizabeth Vaisins, Midlandvale.



**SYMBOL OF ALLIED TRIUMPH**—Germany has become the world's greatest battlefield as Allied armies from east and west press forward across her soil for the final showdown. Here a captured Nazi battle flag symbolizes for men of the First Canadian Army, in the German city of Cleve,

the victory they are helping to score against the might of German militarism. The Canadians have taken Xanten after one of the fiercest battles of the month-old drive by Gen. Crerar's troops, who sought to eliminate the last German north Rhine bridgehead.

## Before the Magistrate

Found guilty of dangerous driving by Magistrate L. R. Jackson on Monday morning, Roy Sandquist, was ordered to pay a fine of \$25 and costs or serve 30 days in jail.

The case arose following an accident at 105 avenue and 124 street, about 10:35 p.m. March 11.

Ivy Saunders, who suffered injuries to the head and back, was taken to hospital, she informed the magistrate. She was unconscious following the accident. As she left the witness-box, she collapsed and fell to the floor of the court room.

Flora Black, pleading guilty to living off the avails, was sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment. Coming to the city from Athabasca, the accused had frequented rooming houses in the city, the court was told. She said she had nothing to say.

## Calgary Protests Pre-Marriage Test

The recently-proposed legislation to make blood tests compulsory before marriage in this province has been protested by a resolution passed by the Alberta Anti-Vivisection and Humane Education Society of Calgary, it was learned here Monday.

Under the provisions of the bill, the parties to an intended marriage must, within 14 days prior to the application for a marriage license, obtain from a physician a certificate showing that they have submitted to a blood test for syphilis. The Calgary resolution contends that the Wasserman test for syphilis is neither reliable or dependable, and that innocent people might be branded as syphilitics by the test.

The resolution also protests the cost of vaccines and serums which would be borne by public funds.

## Two Large Nazi Ships in Convoy Sent to Bottom

ROME, March 19.—(AP)—Two large German ships out of a three-vessel convoy were sunk Saturday night by two British destroyers off the tip of Corsica, Allied headquarters reported yesterday in an announcement which said there was "no change" on the long northern Italian battle line.

The enemy ships were described as destroyers or large torpedo boats, two of the German vessels were sunk and the third escaped but was being hunted.

More than 1,000 fighters and medium bombers attacked the Brenner Pass rail line and storage dumps in northern Italy yesterday on the sixth anniversary of the first meeting of Hitler and Mussolini at the pass which has now been blocked for the 50th straight day.

## Power Production Higher This Year

Production at the city's power plant for the period Jan. 1 to March 11, 1945 totalled 24,473,800 kilowatt hours compared with 24,427,100 for the same period last year, an increase of 46,700 kilowatt hours, according to a report filed Monday with the city commissioners by Robert G. Watson superintendent. Of the 1945 output the electric light department took 20,103,600 kilowatt hours compared with 20,019,000 last year, the street railway department, 2,863,300 against 2,739,000, and the pumping station 1,566,900 kilowatt hours compared with 1,659,100 for the 1944 period.

## Suspected Slayer Of Women Arrested

WASHINGTON, March 19.—(AP)—The Federal Bureau of Investigation announced yesterday that Joseph Dunbar Medley, escaped convict sought for the slaying of two red-haired women in Washington and New Orleans, was arrested yesterday in a St. Louis hotel. Medley, 43, is charged with murder in the shooting of Mrs. Nancy Boyer in a Washington hotel several weeks ago. He also is a suspect in the killing of Miss Laura Fischer in New Orleans.

## All Unofficial Requested Armistice Terms Outlined in Paris Papers

By EDWARD KENNEDY

PARIS, March 19.—(AP)—Some Paris papers yesterday published uncredited dispatches, datelined Washington, outlining terms of an armistice request which they said German Marshal Karl Gerd Von Rundstedt was reported to have made to the western Allies and which they said had been flatly rejected.

There reports, without any Allied confirmation, said that Von Rundstedt has proposed a surrender plan under which the American and British armies would occupy all of Germany up to the present Russian front.

Some other Paris papers published dispatches, datelined Lon-

## Soldiers Donate To Red Cross Fund

Substantial donations from army units in the Edmonton district have played a large part in boosting the Red Cross campaign's present total. Largest army donation to date is \$303, received from the Northwest Territories and Yukon Radio System, Royal Canadian Signals.

No. 30 Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, presently stationed here, has contributed \$120. The Veterans' No. 37 Company gave \$105. Among the Canadian Army's members of the CWAC based at No. 15 Administrative Unit, \$110 was subscribed, while No. 13 Vocational Training School collected \$92, making a khaki total of \$730, with further donations anticipated.

Among the contributions received were a number from veterans of the battle line who have seen at first hand the work of the Red Cross overseas.

Such rumors belong to the realm of fantasy."

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You need one of these bedspreads to add color and charm to your bedroom. Only one to a customer, personal shopping only. Double bed size . . . . . **2.98**  
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All wool, satin bound bed throws to give warmth and beauty. Pastel rose shade only. Each . . . . . **6.95**

## Checked Tea Towels

Generous sized tea towels made from good linen and cotton. 900 only of these towels in bright check patterns. Each . . . . . **29c**

## Imported "Terry" Towels

English made "Terry" kitchen towels for your own home, or for gifts. Size 22 x 44, stripe patterns on ecru grounds. Each . . . . . **79c**





I SAW TODAY J. A. McCool in the central section of the city.

## Cost Of Work On City Utilities To Be \$1,800,000

Approximately \$1,800,000 will be spent from renewal reserve accounts of the city's five utilities during 1945, it was disclosed in the construction estimates for these utilities which go before the city council Monday night for examination and approval.

It is proposed to set aside out of 1945 earnings \$1,800,000 which with the carryover from 1944 will leave a balance of \$3,600,137 available for extensions of these utilities. The expenditure of \$1,759,210 contemplated in 1945 will leave a carryover into next year of \$1,840,927.

**POWER EXTENSIONS**  
Approximately \$334,000 will be spent by the electric light and power department on extension and improvements of street lighting. It is proposed to place 50 lighting units on 102 avenue between 124 and 148 streets; on Stony Plain road and 104 avenue it is proposed to place 76 units, the cost of these two projects being estimated at \$18,900.

Twelve lighting units will be placed on 101 street between 105 and 111 avenues, and on 95 street from Jasper avenue to 111 avenue 17 units will be placed, the cost of these two projects being \$2,900.

On the Highlands street car route 77 units will be placed at a cost of \$7,700. These units will be placed along the route east of 95 street to 61 avenue.

**NEW LINE WORK**  
New line work to be undertaken which will cost approximately \$38,000, of which \$10,000 is earmarked for light and power extensions due.

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## Old-Timer Dies In 99th Year

Joseph Bateman, long time resident of the Beaverlodge district, who would have celebrated his 100th birthday in May, died Sunday at the Salvation Army Evendine Home.

He came to Canada more than 70 years ago and was a pioneer farmer in Alberta. Mr. Bateman had continued his activities until two years ago when he came to Edmonton to live at the Evendine Home.

According to Maj. A. Brewer, superintendent of the home, "He was a wonderful old gentleman highly respected by everyone he knew. He was very active and bright and enjoyed good health up until about two days before his death."

His only survivor is a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Kirk, who lives at Hamilton, Ont., and who is more than 80 years old.

A funeral service will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Hainstock and Son funeral chapel and burial will be in the Mount Pleasant cemetery.

## Order-in-Council Lifts License Law

Car owners at Fort Vermilion will not be obliged to buy a motor vehicle license this year, according to terms of an order-in-council passed by the government recently. The only fee to be collected will be a charge of \$1 for registration.

According to Hon. A. J. Hogg, provincial secretary, the license regulation has been changed for Fort Vermilion motorists because proper roads are non-existent in the northern outpost. There are only a dozen or so autos in the whole district, freighted in by river boat.

If a Fort Vermilion resident wishes to drive to Edmonton he must first ferry his car down to Peace River, where connections can be made with the provincial highway system. There he must buy the regular motor-vehicle license in order to drive the rest of the way.

On the return trip, the license can be surrendered at Peace River and a rebate collected, according to government officials. These \$1 regulations are in force in the Coal Branch, where motor vehicles are isolated from the provincial highway system. When a road, now under construction between Birkendike and Coalpur is completed, cars in this district will be subject to the regular provincial license fee.

## Greenhouse Burns

A small greenhouse, valued at about \$100, and the property of Adolph Arndt, 9702 76 avenue, was destroyed by fire at 5:10 p.m. Sunday. Cause of the blaze was an overturned stovepipe on a coal stove. Hall No. 6 responded.



J. C. HALL



A. G. COCKRILL



BERT W. WEBSTER

**TO ATTEND BRITISH AMERICAN OIL COMPANY CONFERENCE**—Above are three officials of the British American Oil Company, Limited, who will attend a conference Tuesday and Wednesday at the Macdonald hotel of district representatives, wholesale and retail, and managers of branch sales in Northern Alberta. J. C. Hall, of Winnipeg, is sales manager, western region; A. G. Cockrill, Calgary, is divisional manager, Alberta and British Columbia division; and Bert W. Webster, in divisional manager, wholesale, Alberta and B.C. division.

## United States Navy is Seeking Oil Near North Eskimo Village

The United States Navy is seeking oil for future use of its battlewagons near bleak Point Barrow, the little Eskimo village on the cold, Arctic coast of Alaska and Brig. Gen. Dale V. Gaffney's planes and crews from the Alaskan Division of the Air Transport Command, are teaming up with the navy in putting the project over.

In a demonstration of Army-Navy teamwork on the roof of the world the ATC flew more than 200,000 pounds of bulky cargo across the Arctic circle last month to support oil drilling operations.

Point Barrow, the little Eskimo village on the Arctic Ocean where Will Rogers and Wiley Post were killed in a plane crash in 1935 lies within a few hours' flying time of the North Pole.

**UNPREDICTABLE**  
Even at Point Barrow, the weather is so unpredictable that cargo-laden planes have been unable to break through the fog for a landing and have been forced to refly the hazardous journey back to

Ladd Field with their loads. The round-trip from here is more than 1,000 miles.

"On the Barrow run, our pilots need every bit of skill and experience they're picked up in the far north," said Brig. Gen. Dale V. Gaffney, commanding ATC's Alaskan Division.

"You've got to get into Barrow or else... There's no other spot to come down. And Barrow has a nasty habit of socking in without warning."

Two mountain chains, the Brooks and Endicott ranges, lie between here and Point Barrow. Mt. Snooker, in the latter range, towers to a height of some 10,000 feet. In instrument weather, pilots climb to 13,000 feet over the barren peaks.

Most of the area is unsurveyed, a wilderness of ice and snow and tundra. As one approaches the Arctic Ocean which, contrary to general belief, has some open water even in mid-winter, everything is sometimes blotted out by "sea smoke," fog blowing off the water onto the colder land mass.

## The Inquiring Reporter

**THE QUESTION**  
What do you think of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce's decision to ask the department of transport to license a Canadian commercial airline to operate on the Whitehorse to Fairbanks run?

**THE ANSWERS**  
**MRS. J. L. HILL, housewife:** I think it is a very wise move on the part of the Chamber. I noticed some time ago the run had been awarded to Canada and just took it for granted that it would be operated immediately.

**HELEN McDERMID, stenographer:** Any move to develop airline routes in this country is a good one in my estimation. I very definitely think we should take advantage of our every opportunity.

**JIM ROBERTSON, mechanic:** I think the request is well founded and hope it will be granted without further delay. If Canada has any hopes for taking part in competition for world air routes after the war she should certainly make the most of every advantage.

**City Airman**  
In an item giving names of a group of airmen returning from overseas, published in The Edmonton Bulletin of Saturday, the address of Sgt. James Bell, RCAF, was given as Longview, Alberta. This was incorrect. Sgt. Bell's wife lives at 8529 106 street.

He is expected to arrive Tuesday morning.

"Preparations and Planning for D Day" will be the subject of an address by Brig. R. A. Wyman, CBE, DSO, ED, to be delivered at a meeting of the Edmonton Junior Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday at the Macdonald hotel. Proceedings get under way at 6:15 p.m.

**Assembly Members Hear H. R. Jackman**  
In order to hear a brief address by Harry R. Jackman, Progressive Conservative MP for Rosedale (Toronto), the Legislature will adjourn at 5:30 p.m. Monday.

Mr. Jackman will address members of the assembly on the Empire Parliamentary Association, of which he is a member. He will be introduced by Mr. Speaker Peter Dawson, and will speak in the assembly chamber.

Mr. Jackman, who has been connected for some time with the parliamentary association, was a member of a delegation which visited Great Britain in 1941. He was first elected to Parliament in 1940.

## Work Projects Are Expected Cost \$1,256,000

Projects to be undertaken by the city engineer's department during 1945 will cost an estimated \$1,256,000, it was disclosed in the capital construction estimates of the department to be submitted to city council Monday night.

A total of \$70,000 will be spent on work and crossings. This is about double the average program under the existing road improvement effort to undertake about \$30,000 of work in a fiscal year.

**TO SPEND \$100,000**  
Under the heading of general improvement, \$100,000 is to be spent on the widening of the city's main thoroughfares. This item also provides for a larger expenditure on the city's main thoroughfares.

Approximately \$627,000 will be spent in paving and hard surfacing. This estimate makes provision for work already authorized and by contract to the Crown Paving Co. It includes the repaving of the street railway route from east of 97 street to 61 street for trolley bus operation, and also the paving of the 105 street bridge road from the foot of McDougall Hill and 101 street to the junction of the road with Saskatchewan Drive and 109 street.

It is proposed to spend \$200,000 on bridge redecking, painting and possibly structural changes to the 105 street bridge in connection with the paving of the valley route.

**SEWERS, DRAINAGE**  
Under the heading of sewers and drainage \$319,000 is to be spent. The larger items of this expenditure cover the Windsor Park outfall and the Strathcona Place subdivision. An estimated \$200,000 will be spent on parks and cemeteries.

All expenditures scheduled in the engineer's department program are based on the city's current estimate and accumulated surplus, and are forward with the exception of \$226,173, the property share of local improvements which will be capitalized by the issue of 20 year debentures.

**AMONG OBJECTIVES**  
The Prairie Association lists among its objectives the promotion of breeding thoroughbred horses and their display and exhibition; the operation of stock farms and ranches for breeding thoroughbred horses, and the right to accept and act upon instructions and to render services for fees and commissions as agents, brokers or middlemen for and respecting the placing of wagers through pari-mutuel machines operated at race meets.

To procure the abolition of bookmaking and illegal horse races and fraud and dishonesty in horse racing" also is listed as an objective of the association.

Amendments to the city charters of Calgary and Medicine Hat come before the municipal committee Tuesday morning.

Amendments to Edmonton's charter will be taken up Wednesday morning.

The committee meetings begin at 10 a.m. A. E. Fee (SC-Sedgwick) is chairman of the committee on municipal law, while J. C. Landry (SC-Leithbridge) is chairman of the private bills committee.

**Calgary Policeman Will Attend Trial**  
Constable J. J. Duguid, member of Calgary city police force, who arrested two men and a juvenile who allegedly stole an automobile in Edmonton and then drove to the southern Alberta city, arrived here at the beginning of the week in connection with the trial of the two men, Bruce Saunders and Herbert Mayfield. Two charges of theft of auto have been preferred against the men.

**Fourteen Divorces Are Granted Here**  
Fourteen decrees absolute of divorce were granted Monday in supreme court, civil division, by Mr. Justice Hugh John Macdonald. The decrees were granted to John Ostrowski from Mary Ostrowski, Ruth Smith from Franklin Smith, Marie L. V. Morrow from Robert Morrow, Violet M. Smith from Charles C. Smith, Helen E. White from Gordon W. White, Delbert V. Wells from Thelma M. Wells, Walter J. Chittick from Mabel E. K. Chittick, Irene J. Saville from Joseph L. Saville, Marie J. Raskanski from Walter Raskanski, Adella F. Hawes from Hugh S. Hawes, and four others.

**To View Stars**  
If the weather is clear the University of Alberta observatory will be open at 9 p.m. Monday to observe Saturn, Venus, Jupiter and the Moon. This is an unusual, good time of the year to see Venus and the Moon.

**Thieves Take Tire From Gas Station**  
One used tire and a number of coins were taken from the White Rose Service Station 97 street and 118 avenue, Saturday night, city police were informed by Frank Cockrill, proprietor. A second tire also taken from the premises was located at the rear of the place where it had been abandoned.

Entry into the shop was made after breaking four panes of glass. Desk drawers and a cash register were ransacked.

**Johnstone Walker Limited**  
Store Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Phone 25161—Ask for Dept.

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## United Commercial Travellers Hold Successful Banquet, Dance

Three hundred and twenty guests were present at the 27th annual banquet and dance held Saturday evening by the Edmonton Council of the United Commercial Travellers. The gathering was held in the Macdonald hotel, and Patrick M. Dunne, city lawyer, was guest speaker, giving a series of outstanding examples of local and national business.

Others who gave short talks were Mayor John W. Fry, Chief Constable Ben Jennings, D. R. Streeter, American Consul, and D. M. Stewart, president of the Associated Canadian Travelers.

Addressing the guests, Mr. Dunne said that the UCTC was a very important organization, and that it was a privilege to be able to speak to them. He said that the UCTC was a very important organization, and that it was a privilege to be able to speak to them.

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## DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Wife Tires of Mate  
Wants to Get Divorce

Woman Married 25 Years Must Have a New Love to Get the Divorce Urge; She Should Realize What A Drastic Mistake She Makes

Bulletin  
Patterns

By ANNE ADAMS



DEAR MISS DIX: I have been married more than 25 years and I feel that it is unfair to me to continue any longer to live with my husband when I do not love him; when our tastes are entirely different and my only interest in him is in the material things that he can buy.

My husband is a fine man, very popular among other men, and very successful in business, but I feel that he is not happy. So it seems to me that if I get a divorce it would be better for all parties concerned and I for one, would have a clear conscience. Please tell me what to do.

A WONDERING WIFE  
ANSWER: Whose desires are you considering in contemplating a divorce, your own or your husband's? Is there another man or another woman in the case? Are both of you eating your hearts out with a hopeless passion for someone nearer to your hearts desire than the mate you have? All of these things are important factors in deciding whether you should leave your husband or not.

If your husband is madly in love with some other woman who would give him the love and tenderness that you cannot give him, a woman who would enter into his interests and make marriage a joyous companionship, instead of the drab and dull routine of the same house, it might be a noble thing for you to set him free.

But apparently such is not the case. You have no other woman for a justification. If your husband is suffering from a broken heart, he gives no sign of it. You don't even seem to have any proof that he is unhappy.

You also seem to have no emotional reason for wishing to divorce. You have lost your taste for him and are bored and believe me, if all the middle-aged people ditched their spouses because they had ceased to thrill over them, there wouldn't be many homes left intact.

Your trouble as I see it is that you are expecting to feel like a bride after you have been married for 25 years, and it simply can't be done. You get over being starry-eyed after you have looked upon the same old faces of your mate for years and years, but in its place you get a sense of being together, a sense of peace and comfort, and very few middle-aged couples ever part without regret.

MEN RUSH TOO  
DEAR MISS DIX: You often write about the folly of young girls rushing headlong into marriage before they are ready for it. Why isn't it equally unwise for boys to do so? If boys are such weak creatures as to be led to the slaughter, surely girls are even weaker.

ANSWER: Boys and girls, even so, for, unfortunately, it takes two to make a marriage and compare the desire of a boy of 18 to marry with the desire of a girl of 18 to marry, and you will find that the girl is much more likely to be led to the slaughter.

ALLOWANCE  
DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband refuses to give me an allowance. I never have a nickel of my own, yet I do all of the housework and am a good wife and mother. What do you suggest?

ANSWER: The question of money is a very important one in marriage. If your husband refuses to give you an allowance, it is a sign that he is not interested in you or the family. You should talk to him about it and see if you can reach an understanding.



THESE WOMEN—"Now, now, dear, just because you don't approve of the boy daughter's talking to..."

## Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

There are times when I feel that nothing I say has very much influence on anyone, and especially when it has to do with children whose parents themselves are not interested in the answers. In such cases, whatever I think benefits me alone and not them.

Mrs. H. G. B.: Your question seems to come under that category. It doesn't make much difference how I feel that high school girls should dress themselves. They won't be influenced in one way or another by my opinion. I do think, though, that children are not less healthy than they were in the past when they were more heavily clothed. We have always had diseases, colds and rheumatic fever and I think these cannot be attributed to the present method of dressing. Most young girls dress very sensibly.

Mrs. R. B.: You will find in the book, "Infant and Child in the Culture of Today," by Arnold Gesell and Frances L. Big Harper, summaries of what children of different ages can do. I don't think you have the least cause for alarm.

Mrs. J. S.: Do you mean to imply that your child gets only one bottle of milk a day? According to your outline she gets no cod liver oil or any other vitamin D product. Won't you let me send you my leaflet, "Feeding from 2 to 9 months, and Three Meal Schedule." Compare your present diet and list of foods with those in the leaflet. I think you will find room for improvement. These may be had by sending a stamped self-addressed envelope with your request for them to me in care of this newspaper.

A Mother: You will have to have the black taken off the teeth by a dentist and after that make a greater effort to keep the teeth from



Minute Make-Ups  
Here is a list of graceful leg measurements for girls in their late teens and 20's, who are of average build. For height of 5 feet 11 inches, calf 12 1/2 inches. For height 5 feet 3 inches, thigh 19 inches, calf 10 inches, 5 feet 6 inches, thigh 20 inches, calf 13 1/2 inches to 14 inches. For height 5 feet 9 inches, thigh 21 inches to 21 1/2 inches, calf 14 to 14 1/2 inches.

## Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

These have been the usual number of chapters this past winter to read the paper for the sake of going with insufficient knowledge of the body and its functions. The body is a complex machine and it is important to know how it works.

Points for Parents  
Grandmother: "You know better than I do how much more should eat. He certainly shows what good care you are giving him." Only parents who have learned to accept child growth will be able to refrain from treating their married children as though they were still in their infancy.

Dinner Held  
For HQ Staff

The headquarters section of the Alaskan Division Employee Association held an informal get-together dinner at the Corona hotel, Thursday evening. Covers were laid for 55 members and guests. This was the opening social event of the new organization.

Purposes and responsibilities of the association were explained by Miss Ella D. Parsons, newly elected president of the group. In her after-dinner address Miss Parsons stressed that the association aimed to improve work day facilities, encourage leisure time activities, and develop a better spirit of co-operation among the membership.

GOOD RELATIONS  
In the absence of Brig. Gen. D. V. Gaffney, greetings from the military staff were extended by Lt. Col. R. P. Wilson, adjutant-general of the Alaska Division. He emphasized the importance of good relations between employer and employee, and assured the association that every effort would be made to co-operate with the executive and membership.

Maj. W. A. Weber, head of civilian personnel, commended the group for having pioneered in the field in the organization of this association. He stated that four other bases in the Alaskan Division have requested information regarding the plan operating in this headquarters. Maj. Weber promised his continued support and assistance in whatever the organization endeavored to do.

Progress reports were given by the committee heads. Delightful vocal numbers by Mrs. Helen Lane and Miss Jean Tombs were interspersed with the fine piano renditions of Miss Ruth Pearson.

A membership drive and committee of the editorial staff of the Victoria Daily Colonist before she enlisted in 1942, also is CWAC recruiting officer of the area.

community singing closed a most successful evening. Among those present were Lt. Col. R. A. Wilson, Maj. and Mrs. W. A. Weber, and association executive members including Miss Parsons, Miss Molly Browning, Miss Polly Isenack, Miss Doris Connolly, Mrs. Helen Hart, Miss Ruth Pearson, Miss Albina Peiz and Miss Jeanne Choquer.

Alliance Sailor  
Wed in Quebec

Home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cram at Nitro, Que., was the scene of a pretty wedding recently, when their niece, Phylis, daughter of the late Rev. J. B. Saint and Mrs. Saint of Newfoundland, became the bride of D. I. Gibson, telegraphist, RCNVR, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Gibson of Alliance, Alta. The Rev. H. Lindlay officiated.

Given in marriage by her uncle Mr. Cram, the bride wore a dress of petal pink satin and a veil held in place by orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of red roses. There were no attendants, and witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell of Nitro, Que.

The Rev. E. Quirk  
Speaks to WMS

At an open meeting of Robertson church Women's Missionary Society held on Monday evening, a forceful and informative address was delivered by the Rev. Eric L. Quirk, recently returned from India.

Mrs. E. W. S. Kane, the president was in the chair and the speaker was introduced by Miss Ena Hawkins, president of the Mission Circle. The devotions were conducted by Mrs. G. M. Cormie. Scripture passages were read by members of the CGIT, Girl Guides and Ripples. Ruth Parney, Doris Wates, Phyllis Bird and Joan MacKenzie. Prayer was offered by Mrs. George L. Bryan.

Mrs. E. W. de Laroque was soloist accompanied by Mrs. G. Heath MacDonald. The society accepted its allocation of \$1.00.

Navy Mothers  
Receive Thanks  
Sailors' Mitts

At the Navy Mothers' club meeting held in the Memorial hall on Thursday, Mrs. S. W. Field, reported on how much the boys on the ship appreciate the sewing mitts and said there were plenty on hand for those who need them.

Mrs. L. Malen said how popular the Navy Notes are and that the paper was now being sent to more than 300 ships. Mrs. H. Cox reported that six more boxes of comforts had been sent to navy boys.

Mrs. R. P. Lefroy asked for support on the bicycle raffle and at the Market stall which will re-open on March 31. Mrs. R. F. Clarke reported a good day at the Stamp Bar when \$100 worth of War Savings Stamps were sold. Mrs. J. McDon-

ald is convening the Stamp Bar in the Post Office and members are asked to remember that March 21 is Navy Mothers' day.

A whist and bridge convoked by Mrs. W. F. Howard is to be held on April 25 in the Memorial hall. Visiting sailors were L. S. W. J. Rawl, Halifax, AB. W. J. Clark, Esquimaux, PO G. Cox, Newfoundland.

New members welcomed were Mrs. M. Adams, Mrs. H. A. Geddes, Mrs. W. Edwards, Mrs. E. Bohm and Mrs. M. Dinkman. Donations received were from the Navy League, \$500; C. C. Deacon, \$5; Mrs. W. Edwards, \$2; a friend, \$1.

The next meeting will be held on April 5. Mrs. R. E. Browne presided.

An average sheep yields about nine pounds of wool at a shearing.

## Recipes for Good Eating

By MARIANNE E. LINNELL, B.Sc., HOME SERVICE DIRECTOR

## Black Devil's Food Cake

2/3 cup shortening  
1 1/2 cups sugar  
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## PROCLAMATION!

(Issued under the authority of the Emergency Shelter Regulations, Order-in-Council, P.C. 9439, December 19, 1944)

## WARNING

TO ALL PERSONS PLANNING TO MOVE TO

Victoria · Vancouver · New Westminster

Hamilton · Toronto · Ottawa · Hull

As part of a plan to meet congested conditions, all persons who propose to rent or occupy family quarters in any of these Emergency Shelter Areas are required by Board order first to obtain a permit from the Administrator of Emergency Shelter for the district.

The purpose of the order is to help those who must be in these areas to obtain necessary accommodation.

Before completing arrangements to move to any of these districts, write to the Administrator for full particulars of the Emergency Shelter Regulations as they apply to that district.

## THIS IS THE LAW

No person may move to and rent or occupy family quarters in any of these districts without an Administrator's permit (Form E.S. 1).



Every person who rents or occupies family quarters in any of these districts contrary to the order, commits an offence and, in addition to other penalties, will be required by the Administrator to vacate the shelter and the district at his own expense.

The Emergency Shelter Regulations provide serious penalties for hindering or obstructing these efforts and for any contravention of the regulations or of an order of the Board or of the Administrators.

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD







## Above Age of 55

Urge Unfit First War Vets  
Be Taken Off Labor Market

That physically unfit veterans of the First Great War above the age of 55 be taken off the labor market permanently and placed on a similar financial basis as those undergoing vocational training at the present time was the basis of a resolution passed at the monthly meeting of Edmonton Branch No. 4 of the Canadian Legion held in the Memorial Hall Sunday.

Introduced by Percy W. Gwynne, the resolution is the product of G. Scott of the Legion executive here.

Mr. Gwynne explained that ex-servicemen personnel taking vocational training are now paid on the basis of \$60 monthly for single and \$80 monthly for married men.

## SOME UNEMPLOYMENT

There is considerable unemployment of ex-servicemen in this city, Mr. Gwynne said. Veterans of the last war above the age of 55 are in most cases in an exhausted condition and are unable to work. They will be deprived of the opportunity of employment if the resolution is not passed.

If the resolution is passed, it would require the War Veterans Allowance Act provisions governing ex-servicemen to be amended.

"The government might better provide for these older veterans in this city than to keep the younger veterans and their families," Mr. Gwynne stated. The resolution will go to the Dominion command for approval.

After considerable discussion and with some opposition, a resolution regarding disfranchisement of deserters from the Canadian Army was passed.

## ASKS FOR ACTION

Mr. Gwynne said that the Canadian Legion is asking the government to take action to ensure that the Canadian Legion is able to provide for the needs of its members.

The resolution further seeks the placing of the statute books of laws that will guarantee equality of service and sacrifice from all in case Canada must some day again declare war in defence of her freedom.

Such service should be automatic with the declaration of war. The Legion is not interested in religious beliefs or racial origins of any, the resolution stated.

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HOLD EVERYTHING—  
"You sure like your comfort—breakfast in bed!"

later it should make certain they are healthy and well clothed in the years prior to the war. His remarks were applauded.

The branch also endorsed a resolution from the Medicine Hat

## What's on the Air

The following programs are supplied to The Edmonton Bulletin by the broadcasting stations and are subject to change without notice.

CERN—1200 k.c. Sunwapta Broadcasting Co. Ltd. Edmonton.  
CKUA—580 k.c. University of Alberta.  
CJCA—830 k.c. Taylor and Pearson Broadcasting Co. Ltd. Edmonton.  
CBK—340 k.c. Wairou, Sask. Prairie regional station of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.  
NBC—National Broadcasting Company Stations. KOA, 830 k.c., NFI, 640 k.c., KHQ, 980 k.c.  
CBS—Columbia Broadcasting System Stations. KVI, 570 k.c., KSL, 1160 k.c., WCCO, 830 k.c., KXN, 1070 k.c., KIRO, 710 k.c.

## Tonight's Program

7:00—News and local news. CERN.  
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Details Progress  
Ducks Unlimited

Rennie Harley, resident manager here of Ducks Unlimited, outlined the history of his organization at a meeting of the Northern Alberta Fish and Game League held Friday night at the Corona hotel. R. B. MacKenzie, president, was in the chair.

Mr. Harley stated that Ducks Unlimited had as its major objective the increase of ducks. In 1935 the duck population had been estimated at 20,000,000 and as a result of construction by Ducks Unlimited of 142 projects at various parts of Western

Canada, this number had been increased to 140,000,000. "The Big Grass Marsh" a technicolor picture showing how a district may be ruined by faulty administration of water, was shown.

A report on the big game situation was submitted by Dr. R. A. Rooney, past president of the provincial fish and game organization. Bears, he said, are approaching a "problem" stage. Expanding the range of their activities they are molesting settled districts. North of Slave Lake the area is fast becoming a veritable "paradise" for the grizzly.

The elk situation was described as "sound" with the moose "not so good." The upland caribou situation was good but the deer was "spotty."

Membership of Edmonton Branch No. 24 now totals 252, with 79 new members during the month.

Persistent Increase in Number  
Of Crows Demands More Effort

Persistent increase of crows all over the continent (and of magpies in the west) will call for greater efforts to control these predators, according to an announcement issued from Winnipeg by Ducks Unlimited (Canada).

Bringing crow and magpie numbers under control is a major item in the work of Ducks Unlimited to produce more ducks. Control campaigns are carried on yearly, on a co-operative basis.

Results of campaigns conducted during 1944 in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta by organized hunters with funds supplied by the three governments, Ducks Unlimited and the sportsmen themselves, are as follows:

Manitoba ..... 4,561  
Saskatchewan ..... 22,878  
Saskatchewan (winter magpie campaign) ..... 1,570  
Saskatchewan (rationed shells) ..... 9,721  
Alberta ..... 99,747  
Alberta (rationed shells) ..... 12,000

Totals ..... 150,477

Notes: Saskatchewan and Alberta kept separate records of the results of rationed shell distribution. Manitoba incorporated the results in their total.

Well-Known Here,  
W. K. Foy Is Dead

William Kenner Foy, 10721 103 street, employee of the Royal Bank for more than 15 years, died Sunday after a lengthy illness. He was 35 years old.

Son of Mrs. William Foy of Grande Prairie, he came to Edmonton about 10 years ago and since then has worked in the banks at Fort Saskatchewan and Cardston before transferring back to Edmonton about six years ago.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Frances Crossland; one daughter, Marilyn, his mother and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Fairbairn, Edmonton, and Mrs. G. Tussing, Grande Prairie.

A funeral service will be held Wednesday at 10 a.m. from Connelly-McKinley funeral chapel to Sacred Heart church. The Rev. O'Gorman will officiate. Burial will be in Edmonton cemetery.



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## VITAL STATISTICS 1

### Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Seward of Edmonton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss A. J. Seward, to Mr. R. K. Seward, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Seward, of Edmonton. The wedding will take place at St. James' Cathedral, Edmonton, on March 24, 1945.

### Marriages

#### SEFTON-SEWARD

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### Births

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## Deaths

### JOHN LINDGREN

On March 18, 1945, aged 73 years, John Lindgren of Chertsey, Alta., formerly of Darwell, Alta., passed away at the hospital. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. James' Cathedral, Edmonton. Interment will take place in the Edmonton cemetery. Howard & McBride, funeral services.

### MRS. MARTHA JANE CONNOLLY

On March 17, 1945, Mrs. Martha Jane Connolly of Bawlf, Alta., widow of the late Mr. J. H. Connolly, passed away at the hospital. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. James' Cathedral, Edmonton. Interment will take place in the Edmonton cemetery. Howard & McBride, funeral services.

### MRS. THOMAS HUGHES

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### MRS. SUSANNAH MARIA REED

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### CHAS. ARTHUR BERTON

On March 18, 1945, aged 19 years, Chas. Arthur Berton of Bawlf, Alta., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Berton, passed away at the hospital. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. James' Cathedral, Edmonton. Interment will take place in the Edmonton cemetery. Howard & McBride, funeral services.

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## Card of Thanks

AS A service to its readers, The Edmonton Bulletin has prepared a card of thanks for the many friends who have expressed their sympathy for the family of the late Mr. Michael Hughes. The family wishes to express their appreciation to all who have expressed their sympathy.

## In Memoriam

In loving memory of the late Mr. Michael Hughes, who passed away on March 18, 1945. He was a kind, gentle, and loving man, and his death is a great loss to his family and friends.

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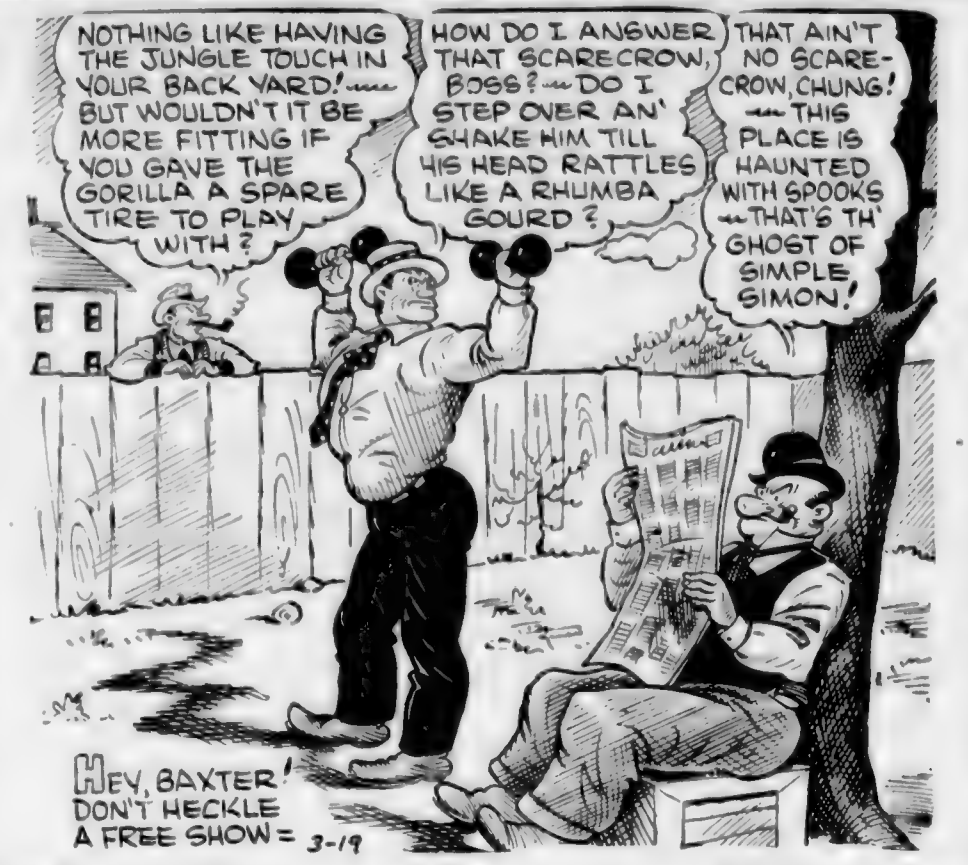
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# World News Highlights Presented in Picture Form



**SEVENTY ON HONOR ROLL.**—Their awards among 70 such entries on Canadian Pacific Steamships' honor roll for wartime sea service, these CPR sailors have been honored by the King and by Lloyd's of London. From left: Second Mate M. D. Aikins, MBE, 20, survivor of the sinking of both the Empress of Asia and Empress of Canada; Chief Engineer T. M. Atkinson, MBE, veteran of "continued service in dangerous waters, chiefly in the North Atlantic"; Capt. R. McKillop, MBE, highly praised for his handling of a CPR-operated ship on D-Day; and Chief Engineer E. E. Vick, OBE, awarded Lloyd's War Medal in 1944 "for bravery at sea."

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**TO BOMBARD DUNKIRK.**—Canadians are fighting side by side with British troops in rousting the Germans out of Dunkirk. The Huns are holding out behind floods, canals, minefields and pillboxes. Here Canadians are pulling a gun onto the road to take up a position for use against the Nazis.

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**A BIT OF GOOD ADVICE IN HOLLAND.**—Since men of the Black Watch Regiment of Canada heard of the speed of the Russian advance, two of them nailed this sign, "Don't be Trigger Happy... The Russians are Heading This Way," to a tree as a warning to over-ambitious comrades. They are: Pte. Syd Brady, 3336 Rochon Street, Montreal, left, and Pte. Hugh Gashelton, 636 Liverpool Street, Montreal.

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**MEN AND WOMEN OF LITTLE NORWAY, NORWEGIAN** Help in packing the trunks of Lieut. Reidar Doole More is given by his 22-months-old son, Tore. The entire station personnel of Little Norway is being transferred overseas after a gala good-bye party for 1,000 guests of the force.



**Switch-over from Spitfires to school isn't easy for** Lt.-Lieut. Bob Middlemiss, Montreal, who downed three Nazis.

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**BACK TO SCHOOL FOR AIR HEROES AT RCAF TRAINING CENTRE** Despite reduced aircrew training, the RCAF carries on research as vigorously as ever. Here Sgt. Ldr. "Brad" Walker, DFC, London, Ont., tries an exercising machine.

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Honor roll at the training school represents more than 400 decorated graduates. Sgt. Ldr. Brad looks it over.

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**GERMAN UMBRELLA KING, FAMILY JAILED FOR HOARDING**

Rich Nazi party members, above the law, until the Allies came, Arthur Brauer, 62-year-old German umbrella king, right, and his brother, Emil, now are in Aachen jail, paying the penalty for hoarding food.

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While neighbors were starving, Frau Emilie Brauer, right, wife of the German umbrella king, hoarded large stocks of food in her Aachen home. Now with her sister-in-law she spends her days in jail.

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**PRISONER ONE WEEK.**—Sgt. Charles Joy, RCNVR, of Regina, was a prisoner-of-war for a whole week, when he was captured by Vichy French soldiers at Oran, in the North Africa landings in 1942. He lost 17 pounds in those few days. Now he is serving with the Corvette HMCS Guelph.

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**CANADIANS MOVE AGAINST NAZIS.**—These men from a famous Canadian Infantry regiment are shown here loading onto an amphibious tank (Alligator) for an attack on an enemy strong point in Holland.

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**EXECUTIVE POST.**—Maj. Norton J. Anderson, of Ottawa and Winnipeg, senior public relations officer, directorate of public relations (Army), national defence headquarters, Ottawa, who is being retired from the Canadian Army to take an executive appointment with the Wartime Information Board, Ottawa. A Winnipeg newspaperman, Maj. Anderson enlisted with the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders of Winnipeg, and went overseas in 1940.

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**PROMOTED.**—H. R. Drew, promoted to the position of superintendent of hotel newstands and mountain lodges, Canadian Pacific Railway hotel department, western lines, succeeding A. D. Bain, retired. Mr. Drew was formerly inspector of CPR hotels in the west, and has been assistant manager of each of the company's western hotels.

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**JEEP DONS NEW DRESS.**—Above is the "before-and-after" of how a plain, garden variety jeep was transformed into a streamlined job having postwar "flier" possibilities. The transformation was done by an ordnance motor repair outfit at a U.S. Army 8th Army Air Force Bomber Station in England. Only salvaged materials were used.



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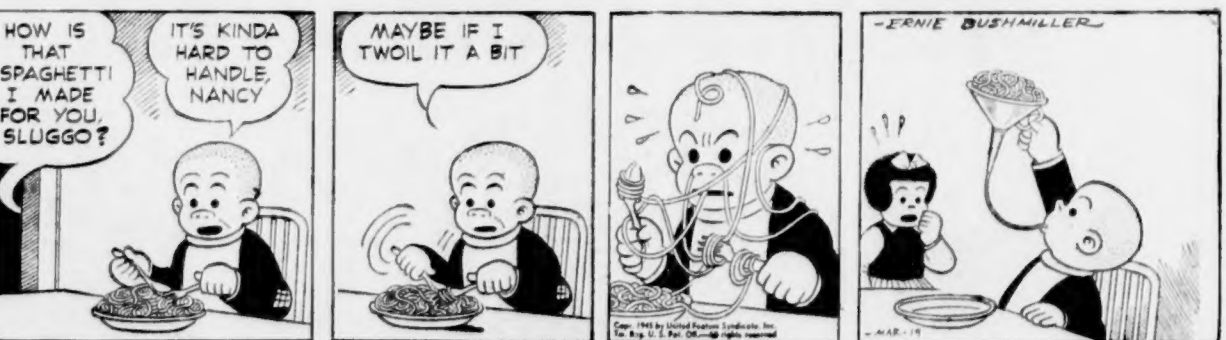
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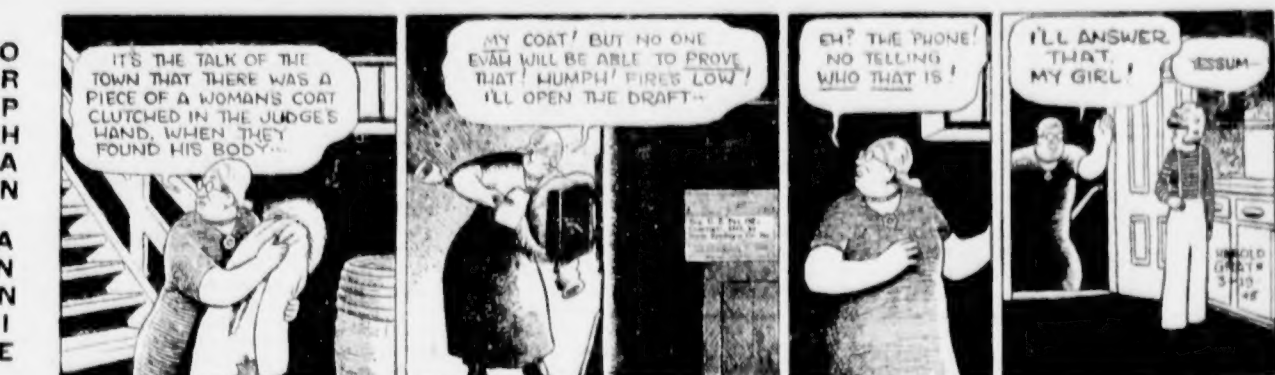
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## International, Inter-Class Distrust Is Blamed for Disunity in Canada

Canadian disunity, as caused by fear of the future was blamed Sunday afternoon on international and inter-class distrust, when Raymond E. Shaul, past president of the Canadian Teachers' Federation, and adult education specialist, addressed the second session of the Catholic Laymen's forum at the Ukrainian hall, Mr. Shaul spoke on the subject "Canadian Unity."

Mr. Shaul introduced his subject by declaring that it is impossible to blueprint society for the future, but it is possible to give intelligent direction. He pointed to various features of Canadian society that were introducing the aspect of disunity.

### FEAR FOR FUTURE

Canadian manifestation of the fear for the future was found in a political, economic and cultural aspect, he said.

Mr. Shaul expressed the belief that disunity was being deliberately fostered in Canada. The "Zoot suit" riots in Montreal last June, were found upon examination to be no more than individual street brawls with no racial or political significance. The riots were, however, played up by the eastern Canadian press, he stated.

One of the real causes of disunity, he said, was the fear of the people that another depression lies ahead. They envisioned loss of jobs, collapse of farm prices. People outside of Quebec blame the growing industrialization of that province; people inside Quebec see poor pay, outside control, mothers forced to work in factories to keep their families together.

Canadian politicians were still talking in terms of foreign trade in order to consume a surplus that a reasonable economy would consume at home. Mr. Shaul declared that if the economic problem remained unsolved, another Canadian depression and a third world war would be the result.

Mr. Shaul said the issue in disunity was the centralization of political power at Ottawa. Centralization breeds disunity, he stated, and for examples he cited the collapse of the Roman empire, the American revolution and the French revolution. Political parties foster disunity by playing both ends against the middle and magnifying cultural differences in order to attain their own ends, he said.

The well-known city teacher warned that cultural differences were but the scapegoat for the real causes of disunity. He urged that positive steps be taken after recognizing the real causes in order to foster national unity, so that "sectional hatreds" would not be whipped up to a point where Canadians do not realize that they are being bound and shackled to be delivered, body and soul, to the international planners who hid in Dumbarton Oaks.

The meeting, attended by more than 600 persons, was presided over by Peter Greschuk.

### QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Answering a number of questions in the discussion period that followed, Mr. Shaul stated that there is no discrimination in the educational field amongst minorities in Quebec; that the government should permit citizens to use the term "Canadian" in describing themselves; that the different provinces should have a uniform version in teaching history; and other questions dealing with the means towards unity.

The subject of next Sunday's address, the final session of the forum, will be "Hope of the Future," described as "a vivid survey of what the people want, and how to protect the common good of society in the new order."

Speaker will be Fr. Marion, assistant at St. Joseph's parish and student of social philosophy. The meeting will start at 3 p.m. in the Ukrainian hall, 9620 109 avenue.

## Call Poultry Meet To Discuss Plans

An Edmonton district poultry meeting will be held Friday, March 23, at 8:15 p.m. in the YMCA hall, 102A avenue at 101A street.

The purpose of the meeting is to give those interested in raising poultry a chance to get as much information as possible regarding the present and post-war possibilities in the poultry business. Main speaker will be A. D. Davey, associate chief of the Poultry Production Service, Ottawa. Mr. Davey is thoroughly competent to deal with all phases of the export and domestic market. He will be in a position to advise Alberta poultrymen on the wisest plans for the present and post-war period.

The meeting has been arranged by the newly-organized Poultry Industries committee. This committee consists of representation from the Western Produce Association, the Hatcherymen's Association, the Feed Manufacturers' Association, the Retail Merchants' Association, the Producers' Organization, and Dominion and Provincial poultry officials.

## 4 German Officers Are Put to Death For Duty Neglect

LONDON, March 19.—(CP)—Three German majors and a lieutenant were executed after court martial for cowardice or neglect of duty in American seizure of the bridge at Remagen over the Rhine, the German high command reported yesterday.

A fifth officer, Captain Bratke who commanded the Remagen garrison, was sentenced to death in absentia, the German command added, implying he had fled or been captured.

Failure to blow up the bridge gave the United States 1st Army a firm bridgehead on the east bank of the Rhine.

### Expect Offensive

LONDON, March 19.—(AP)—The Swiss radio reported Saturday night that Benito Mussolini had discussed Friday with a representative of Field Marshal Kesselring, Nazi commander in Italy, a new large scale Allied offensive which the Germans say is imminent in Italy.



IT'S ALL IN FUN.—Zoot-suit Sailor L-Sir Ralph Umbrico put on the duds on HMCS Blairmore. Sailors do get in some fun between intervals of sub-chasing.

## South Side Fire Damages Trailer

A trailer-home was badly damaged, while most of the contents were destroyed by fire about 3:30 p.m. Saturday at the South Side auto camp. Owned by Mrs. Steve Redjenovich, an American citizen, the fire was said to have started as she attempted to open an oil stove to clean it.

The trailer had been brought to the city from Wisconsin and placed on the auto camp property. It was valued at \$1,500 and was being prepared for removal to Anchorage, it was learned.

The fire spread rapidly, and Mrs. Redjenovich was unable to save any of her property, including personal clothing, furniture, gas stove and oil stove, with an estimated value of \$800.

Driven out by the flames, she left her purse and money behind. Taken out shortly after by city firemen, the bag was found to have received only a slight scorching.

The loss is covered by approximately \$500 worth of insurance.

No. 6 hall responded under District Chief Thomas Harvey. One thousand feet of hose was laid to bring in water from a hydrant outside the camp grounds.

## Japs May Attempt To Get Out of Trap South of Mandalay

CALCUTTA, March 19.—(CP)—Increasing enemy counter-attacks indicated today that trapped Japanese forces in Central Burma may be contemplating a break-through effort in the vicinity of Meiktila, 75 miles south of Mandalay.

Attacks against the Allied positions in the Meiktila area have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Japanese. The enemy has no armor to match the British concentration of General Sherman tanks, which are taking a heavy toll.

The Allies now hold Maymo, Hsipaw and Lashio, the three most important towns on the Mandalay-Lashio road, and in the area around Meiktila and Thazi are astride all Japanese communication lines southward from Mandalay. The fall of Mandalay appears imminent.

## Japanese Modify Blackout Imposed On Child Education

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—(AP)—Japan's blackout of education for all school children beyond the first grade was modified to a brownout today.

A Sunday broadcast said that beginning April 1 all Japanese students from second-graders to university students would be mobilized for war work.

Modifying that statement in a broadcast intercepted by the federal communications commission today, radio Tokyo said the "Cessation of studies is not to be carried out unconditionally" and "Students will stop studying in class rooms only when they are called out by the mobilization laws."

## Housing Shortage Acute in Toronto

TORONTO, March 19.—(CP)—The housing shortage in Toronto now is more acute than at any time since the war was begun, Fred Dearlove, chief housing officer, said yesterday. Legal notices have been served on 3,800 families to vacate by May 1 and "we have used up the prospective accommodation we had a year ago" and there is literally nothing in prospect.

## Nazis Name New East Commander

LONDON, March 19.—(Reuters)—Hitler has appointed Col. Gen. Ferdinand Schörner, recently commander of an army group fighting in Silesia, as German commander on the east front, Moscow radio reported today. It added that this appointment followed the dismissal of Gen. Heinz Guderian, German chief of staff and east front commander.

## Benes in Russia

MOSCOW, March 19.—(AP)—President Eduard Benes of Czechoslovakia arrived here Saturday by plane en route to Kosice, where he will set up a government after six years in London. His plane flew from Baku through a snowstorm.

## Cost Of Work On City Utilities To Be \$1,800,000

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to new services, and \$25,000 for cable from the power house to 82 avenue.

Manholes and vaults in different parts of the system is estimated to cost \$48,000, and street railway feeders for the Highlands bus route \$21,700.

A 1000-KW rectified with three feeders for the new substation is estimated to cost \$40,000.

Under the heading renewals the department is spending \$15,000 for transformers, \$25,000 for meters, and it is proposed to expand \$25,000 for replacing rotten poles, and \$10,000 for re-modelling pole lines under the government electrical protection act.

Only one project is scheduled in the estimates for the power plant. It is the completing of the work on the new water treatment plant. This project was started last year, but lack of materials and manpower made it impossible to complete the work. It is expected that \$405,000 will be spent on it during 1945.

### NEW TROLLEY BUSES

Acquisition of new trolley buses and rehabilitation of street cars and trolley coaches will cost the street railway department an estimated \$225,000 during 1945. Ten trolleys will be purchased in 1945 at a cost of \$215,000.

Track and paving costs for the year are estimated at \$139,440. Included in the projects under this heading are: building a loop at 103 street and Whyte avenue and the removal of steel east of 90 street and Whyte avenue, the curbing and finishing of space as boulevard \$20,000, the conversion of the Highlands route from street car to trolley bus operation \$104,570.

The new trolley coach depot to be erected on the Rossdale Flats is estimated to cost \$200,000, and alterations and additions to the shop buildings at the car barns \$20,000. Both these projects have been authorized by city council.

The telephone department will carry through central office equipment projects which will give 1,100 additional lines in the four exchanges.

It is proposed that a 300-line automatic be installed in the main office exchange, a 200 line in the west end exchange, and 300 lines additions in both the north and south exchanges. The total cost of the four projects will be \$116,635.

### EXCHANGE ADDITION

The addition to the main exchange to be built this year will cost \$175,000, while underground and overhead cable extensions are estimated to cost \$54,355.

In the waterworks department renewal of wood, steel, galvanized iron mains, services and fire hydrants is estimated to cost \$25,000, with new construction set at \$105,000. This new construction includes main services, meters, and supply main alterations in connection with the water treatment plant being built at the power house.

## 4 Men Charged Attempted Entry

Alex Skarliski of Edmonton, at present awaiting trial on a charge of manslaughter, and free on bail on a second count, was re-arrested about 7 a.m. Sunday, along with three other men, and charged with attempted break and enter, and vagrancy, according to city police. Like charges have been preferred against the others—George Thompson, or Stanley Chapman, Gordon Mellish and William Scheinbein.

The premises which the quartet allegedly attempted to enter were those of the English Fish and Chip Shop, 10316 Jasper avenue, and Scott's Fruit Store, 10318 Jasper avenue.

Unknown to the early morning "visitors," Long Joe Ly, proprietor, lived at the back of the fruit store. He was inside the building when the men appeared, it was claimed. The party left without entering.

Approximately one half hour later, the four men were under arrest and in the lock-up. Effecting the arrests were Constables E. Forsland, J. C. Mitchell and H. W. Jones.

No bail had been secured by any of the accused Sunday evening. The quartet appeared in city police court Monday when, because it was necessary that Skarliski go over to supreme court immediately, for trial on the manslaughter count, the latest charges—two of attempted break and enter, and the vagrancy—were adjourned for eight days.

Skarliski asked that bail be set in the case, and at the request of the crown, that "bail be substantial," it was set at \$5,000, bringing the total bail money in all cases to \$16,000.

The same amount, \$5,000, was set on the other three accused. All charges were adjourned to March 27.

### Marks Birthday

VANCOUVER, March 19.—(CP)—Mrs. L. A. Currie celebrated her 100th birthday here yesterday. Asked to what she believed she owes her long life, Mrs. Currie said, "By always being a good Conservative." She was born in Ontario and came to Vancouver in 1888.

### Recover Body

MOOSE JAW, Sask., March 19.—(CP)—A four-day city-wide search for Freddie Ferguson, 24, ended yesterday when his body was recovered from the Moose Jaw river. The boy had been missing from his home since 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

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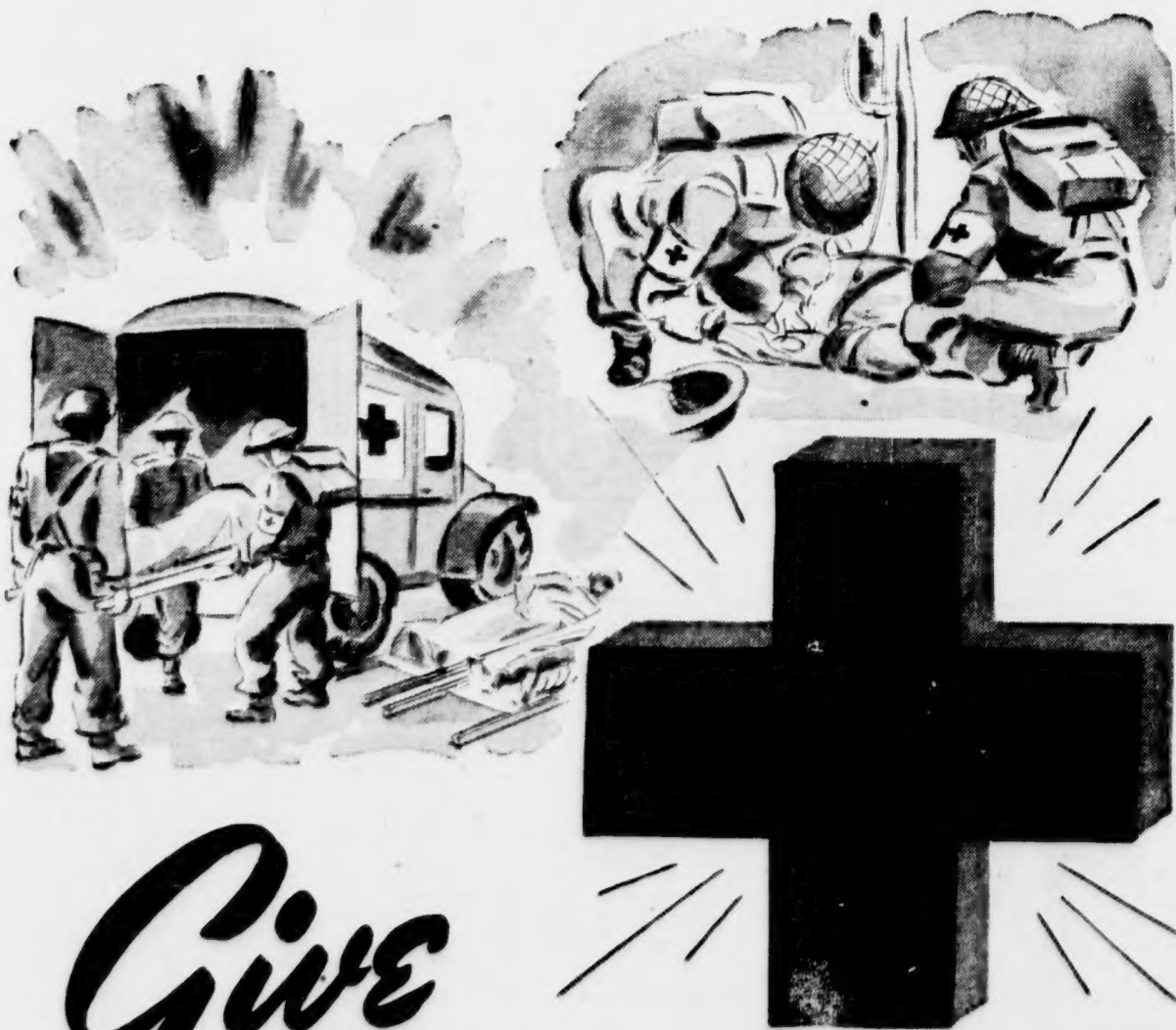
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